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SITUATION CONSIDERED CRITICAL

Last Spanish Garrison In Luzon Surrenders—An Interview With Aguinaldo—He Says There Will Be No Trouble There.

MANILA, Sept. 13.—Rear Admiral Dewey says he considers the situation critical. It is understood he has asked for an additional cruiser and a battleship.

The Spaniards assert Germany will take a coaling station here and that Spain will retain the remainder of the islands.

The last Spanish garrisons at Ilocos and Laguna have surrendered, and the whole of the island of Luzon is in the hands of the insurgents, except Manila and Cavite.

Aguinaldo went to Malolos on Friday. He has announced his intention of convening an assembly of the Filipinos on Sept. 15 in order to decide upon the policy to be adopted by the insurgents.

In a recent interview Aguinaldo said there were 67,000 insurgents armed with rifles. He added he could raise 100,000 men. Indeed, the insurgent leader pointed out, the whole population of the Philippine islands was willing to fight for their independence.

Continuing, Aguinaldo said he had 9,000 military prisoners, including 5,000 in the vicinity of Manila, besides civil prisoners.

Later Aguinaldo said the provincial government was now operating 28 provinces. He asserted that on Aug. 2 they elected delegates in numbers proportionate to the population.

As to Americans, Aguinaldo remarked that he considered them as brothers and that "the two sovereign republics were allied against a common enemy."

When questioned as to whether the future Filipino policy would be absolute independence Aguinaldo excused himself from replying. Aguinaldo continued:

"We have been fighting for independence for a long time. The natives who profess to favor annexation are insincere. It is merely a ruse to ascertain American views."

Asked if the Filipinos would object to the retention of Manila, Aguinaldo declined to answer.

Would the Filipinos object to America retaining a coaling station if recognizing the independence of the islands or establishing a temporary protectorate over them?

Aguinaldo again declined to answer.

Pending the conclusion of the assembly Aguinaldo said he was confident there would be no trouble between America and the Filipinos.

The insurgent leader denied having received a request from General Otis and Rear Admiral Dewey to withdraw his troops to a prescribed distance from Manila and Cavite, and he declined to discuss the effect of such a request.

Aguinaldo further asserted that he had never conferred with the American authorities since the capitulation of Manila and that he had never authorized the insurgents to search or disarm Americans crossing the lines.

He was closely questioned about last Saturday's incident when the Pennsylvania troops proceeded to establish a new outpost. The Filipinos objected and nearly precipitated hostilities, ordering the Americans to withdraw in 20 minutes. They issued ammunition and intercepted the American re-enforcements. Finally General Hale ordered all the Pennsylvanians to advance, and the rebels withdrew.

The local governor has explained that the incident was a complete mistake and has repudiated his subordinate's action. Aguinaldo declared to your correspondent that the Filipino who made the trouble merely pretended to be an officer and is entirely unconnected with the insurgent army.

Aguinaldo complained that the Spaniards were "disseminating false reports for the purpose of fomenting antagonism between the Filipinos and the Americans."

The whole interview conveyed the impression that Aguinaldo desires absolute independence, regards the mission of the Americans here as accomplished and expects their withdrawal, "just as the French, with Lafayette, withdrew after helping the Americans in the war of independence, a war of humanity."

Just now Aguinaldo maintains the role of extreme friendship.

MR. DENBY'S VIEW.

Former Minister to China Thinks We Should Keep the Philippines.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—Mr. Charles Denby, former minister of the United States to China, arrived here yesterday from Peking and in the afternoon paid his respects to the president. On leaving the White House Mr. Denby, in answer to inquiries, said that in his judgment the United States should retain permanent possession of all, or practically all, of the Philippine islands. To surrender them to Spain would be only to invite a controversy and possibly a war among the European nations for their possession, and if the United States is to make efforts to secure any considerable portion of the markets of the far east the Philippines would be of very great advantage to us.

Mr. Denby thought that the eastern question had been practically settled, for the present at least. He did not believe that there was anything in the situation to justify the expectation of a partition of China among the powers. Russia already had secured territorial concessions which completely satisfied all her desires in that particular direction, and as trade and trade facilities were the only objects of English and German concern in China, he saw no good reason why they should desire her dismemberment. In any event, Mr. Denby said, he did not look for any immediate change in the present status.

SAMPSON'S COMMISSION.

Will Reside at El Vedado During the Stay in Cuba.

HAVANA, Sept. 13.—The American evacuation commissioners, it is thought probable, will select places of residence during the stay of the commission at El Vedado, a beautiful village five miles west of Havana on the coast, just beyond Punta Brava. There is excellent sea bathing there. The neighborhood is aristocratic, and there is regular steam transit between the village and the city.

The Trocha theater at El Vedado, formerly used as a hotel, has been offered to the commissioners on lease, the owners undertaking to install electric light, to put in baths and other comforts and to have all ready for use within a week. Doubtless the offer will be accepted.

The commissioners are still living aboard the transport, and under the naval regulations they and their aids are obliged to return from shore daily at 4 o'clock p. m. While on land the commissioners spend most of the time at the Union club, where every courtesy is extended them. All breakfasted on shore yesterday morning, and crowds gathered to watch them with eager interest. They express themselves as much pleased with Havana and are making their arrangements for a long stay, possibly for a couple of months.

No date has been fixed definitely as yet for the first official session of the commission, Sunday's meeting being only for an exchange of credentials. The instructions from Washington direct that the decisions which are the outcome of the sessions shall be secret.

General Blanco has protested officially against the imputations and accusations of Count d'Almenar in the Spanish senate, and military officers here keenly resent the insult.

Major F. Leverson, the English engineer attached to General Blanco's headquarters, has returned from Santiago de Cuba. Yesterday he paid his respects to the American commissioners on board the United States transport Resolute and later called upon the French officers on the Fulton.

The Spanish gunboats Intrepida and Antonio Lopez arrived yesterday from Gibara and Nuevitas, shortly followed by the Legazpi, with General Luque's division, including 32 sick soldiers.

The correspondent of El Imparcial of Madrid, who has been imprisoned provisionally at Cabanas fortress, was released yesterday afternoon.

The Norwegian steamer Lyderhorn and the Spanish steamer Maria Herrera, both in ballast, sailed for Vera Cruz on Sunday. The Arrecuna, with a cargo of sugar and six passengers, sailed for New York from Caibarien.

The wharfs of Havana are now filled with provisions, for which it is impossible to get transit. The papers are urging the police to clean the wharfs and to take special precautions against the continuance of "immoral and uncivilized scenes" there.

AT SAN JUAN.

Evacuation Commission Holds a Short Meeting.

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, Sept. 13.—The two evacuation commissions held an hour's session yesterday and adjourned until tomorrow. The American commissioners made known their position regarding the evacuation and transfer of the island in accordance with their instructions from Washington. These instructions they decline to make public at present, as publicity might lead to embarrassment in negotiations, and the Spanish commissioners did not disclose their position nor the nature of their instructions.

They manifested, however, willingness to secure as much expedition as possible, and our commissioners are satisfied with the way in which their demands have been informally received. The adjournment gives the Spaniards time to prepare their reply. When that is presented issue will be joined and the situation become clear.

What effect, if any, the appearance of yellow fever among the troops at Ponce will have is problematical. Should the fever spread it would doubtless induce the American commissioners to hasten the evacuation to the utmost, but as yet there is not the slightest reason to expect an epidemic.

General Brooke says two cases have been reported to him and one death. As soon as he learned of these he caused all suspects to be isolated, with a view of preventing the spread of the infection. It is believed that the cases originated in the Spanish prison at Ponce.

Lawton's Sanitary Report.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—The following cablegrams from General Lawton regarding the sanitary condition of the troops under his command at Santiago were made public at the war department last night:

Sept. 11: Total sick, 690; total fever, 411; total new cases fever, 6; total returned to duty, 246. Deaths—Henry Barnes, private, Company H, Ninth infantry, typhoid fever; Benjamin Boothby, private, Second Louisiana volunteers, pernicious malarial fever; John Pillar, corporal, Company D, Fifth infantry, typhoid fever.

Sept. 12: Total sick, 783; total fever, 401; total new cases fever, 71; total returned to duty, 289. Deaths—John Nash, private, Company C, Fifth infantry, typhoid fever; Gilbert Brown, private, Company E, Fifth infantry, yellow fever.

Sept. 7 is amended as follows: Deaths—William E. McLeod, sergeant, Company A, Fifth United States volunteers, acute dysentery; Effie J. Baffitt, Company G, Twenty-fourth infantry, yellow fever; Louis Reese, Company H, Third United States volunteers, yellow fever; Streaty H. Smith, Company F, Third United States volunteers, gunshot wound.

Postmasters Appointed.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—The following fourth class postmasters have been appointed: New York—C. O. Osterhout, at Kenoza Lake. Pennsylvania—Nels Strandberg, at Challenge; L. H. Sample, at Wheeler.

PARADE ABANDONED

President Decides That It Is Impracticable.

HEALTH OF TROOPS NOT GOOD ENOUGH

Many of the Porto Rico Soldiers Sent Home—Not Enough of Them Left to Make a Good Showing.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—News was received at the Army building yesterday from Washington that the president had decided that it would be impracticable for the troops at Montauk to take part in the projected parade in this city next Saturday.

The president, it was said, had talked the matter over with General Miles and with Acting Secretary Meiklejohn, and it had been finally determined to let the matter be decided by the physical condition of the men.

To ascertain this the medical officers at the camp were called upon, as was General Shafter.

All reported that the men would not be able to stand the fatigue of the parade before the first of next month at the earliest.

As the parade was to occur next Saturday, this, it was deemed, rendered the participation of the Montauk troops impracticable, and then it was determined that the parade, if it should be held at all, must be composed of the troops coming in from Porto Rico, not exceeding 2,000 in number.

General Miles, it is reported, upon learning the decision of the president, made inquiry into the strength of the Porto Rico troops now on their way to New York under command of Generals Wilson and Garretson. He found that they aggregated about 700 men, and he concluded that these were not sufficient to make a creditable showing, and announced there would be no parade.

INVESTIGATING COMMISSION.

Gilman and Sexton Have Accepted Appointments.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—It can be stated positively that Messrs. Lincoln, Lamont, Manderson and Gordon have declined to accept the president's appointment as members of the committee to investigate the conduct of the war. The five others are expected to accept.

Definite acceptances have been received from President Gilman of Johns Hopkins university and Commander In Chief Sexton of the Grand Army of the Republic. While General Schofield is known to be reluctant to serve, it is believed that he will accept. As a retired army officer he is subject to the orders of the president and could be ordered to duty on the committee.

Mr. McKinley will not, however, exercise this power. He thinks General Dodge will accept. Dr. Keen of Philadelphia is traveling abroad now, but communications which the president has had from him indicate that he may be put down among those accepting.

With but two positive acceptances the prospects are that the president may not be able to secure a committee of nine, and he may find it impossible to secure seven men of such high character and reputation as he desires.

There is danger that the hopes of the president may not be realized and that the report of the committee may not be so conclusive in public opinion as was desired when the project was taken under advisement. Even if the president should succeed in getting nine men of the character he has in mind, these men will be embarrassed in their work by reason of the fact that they will have no legal status whatever, and will have no power to send for persons or papers or to compel civilians to give them any information.

Of course, the authorities can order all officers of the army to appear and testify and submit their records and correspondence, but there are many important witnesses who must be brought forward, soldiers as well as civilians, who cannot be compelled to testify. The committee will thus be handicapped in the beginning from getting at facts necessary to convict those who may be responsible for wrongdoing.

Without any legal status, or available funds for salaries for members of the committee, or expenses which will necessarily be involved in making a comprehensive investigation such as the public demands, it is difficult to see how any satisfactory results are to be obtained from the proposed investigating committee.

In the first place the duties of the committee are confined to the investigating of only three of the staff departments. Unless the scope of their work is enlarged so as to give the committee full power to inquire into the work of every branch of the war department, from the secretary of war's office down, the committee will be as far from satisfying the demands of the public as have been Secretary Alger's explanations and excuses.

Hurricane In West Indies.

ST. THOMAS, Danish West Indies, Sept. 13.—The latest advices from Barbados, received late on Saturday, indicated an approaching hurricane. Shortly after the dispatch was received cable communication was interrupted. Yesterday the storm was passing over St. Lucia. But small damage has been done there. All the islands have experienced boisterous weather, but the storm has passed to the south of St. Thomas.

The Newfoundland a Legal Prize.

CHARLESTON, Sept. 13.—In the United States district court here yesterday Judge Brawley handed down a decision condemning the British steamship Newfoundland and its cargo to forfeiture as a lawful prize of war. The ship was captured by the Mayflower while seemingly attempting to run the blockade at Havana on the evening of July 19 and sent here.

THE MAINE ELECTION.

Powers Probably Will Have 27,000 Majority.

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 13.—Returns from 150 cities and towns give Powers (Rep.) 22,613; Lord (Dem.), 12,863. Same towns in 1894 gave Cleeves (Rep.) 27,725 and Johnson (Dem.) 13,046. This shows a net Republican loss of 17 per cent and a Democratic loss of 2 per cent.

On this basis Powers will have about 27,300 plurality.

The election throughout the state was marked by comparative apathy on the part of the Republicans, who felt secure, while the Democrats, taking perhaps a little more interest, with an apparent desire to make a better showing than in 1894 or 1896, put some vim into the campaign, the result of which was seen in nearly every town.

The falling off of the Republican vote was, however, anticipated by the party managers, and while it was somewhat lower than they anticipated, it gave them no anxiety, and the loyal men of the party readily explained it.

While the Democratic vote kept up well with that of the last off year, 1894, it must be remembered that the vote that year was a falling off of 15,000 from the vote of the previous off year, 1890.

The state, of course, elected a solid Republican delegation to congress. The four congressmen, all of whom have attained national reputation, had little or no opposition, although strangely enough Speaker Reed had a vigorous opponent in his district. His margin over McKinney, who ran on the Democratic ticket, was, however, about that of 1894, and showed the usual loyalty on the part of his constituents.

Mr. Dingley did not make a speech during the campaign, confining his efforts to conferences with the committees in the different shire towns. The other two congressmen, Boutelle and Burleigh, did even less, so that it may be said that there was never a campaign in the state where there was so little said of national issues.

Dingley's Majority Seven Thousand.

LEWISTON, Me., Sept. 13.—Hon. Nelson Dingley is re-elected to congress for the tenth time from the Second district by over 7,000 majority.

BASEBALL SCORES.

Results of Yesterday's Games In the National League.

At Philadelphia—										R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia..	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—	1	5	4
Boston.....	0	0	2	0	2	1	1	1	—	7	7	6

Batteries—Platt and McFarland; Lewis and Bergen.

At Baltimore—										R.	H.	E.
Baltimore..	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	4	11	1
Wash'ton..	0	0	1	3	0	0	1	0	0	5	9	0

Batteries—McJames and Robinson; Mercer and Farrell.

At Pittsburg—										R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg..	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	—	3	6	0
Chicago....	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	2

Batteries—Hart and Bowerman; Katell and Chance.

Table of Percentages.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Boston....	80	42	.656	Pittsburg.	63	62	.503
Cincinnati	79	47	.627	Philadel'a	59	59	.500
Baltimore.	73	46	.613	Louisville.	54	72	.429
Cleveland.	70	51	.579	Brooklyn..	46	70	.397
Chicago...	69	57	.546	Wash'ton.	41	82	.333
New York	66	56	.541	St. Louis..	34	90	.274

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Japanese have secured the concession for a railroad from Seoul, Korea, to Fusan.

The post mortem at Geneva shows that the weapon of the assassin had completely transfixed the heart of the empress of Austria.

Eleven bodies have been recovered from the ruins of the Jerome (A. T.) fire, and more are expected to be found later. The damage amounted to over $1,000,000.

News has reached San Francisco from Puerto Barrios of serious rioting in Guatemala during the recent elections, when 300 persons were killed or wounded.

Five bodies have been removed from the scene of the gasoline explosion in Philadelphia. Fear is expressed that at least half a dozen more people are in the ruins.

It has been officially announced in Paris that Colonel Paty du Clam has been placed on the inactive list as a result of an investigation of the Esterhazy case.

G. E. Richardson of Chicago killed himself at Telegraph Creek, en route to the Klondike, because he was exhausted from traveling without food and had lost several horses on the journey. He was one of a party of five gold hunters.

The Attempt on Wilhelmina's Life.

BERLIN, Sept. 13.—Persistent rumors have been current here during the last few days that, despite all statements to the contrary, an attempt was made upon the life of Queen Wilhelmina about three weeks ago. One newspaper, which reports an account of the affair given on the alleged authority of Count Limburg-Stirum, says that an Italian fanatic fired thrice from the woods while the queen, with three ladies, was driving near her residence at Soest-Dyk. Two shots went wild, but the third lodged in the arm of Countess Limburg-Stirum. The queen preserved her presence of mind and ordered the affair kept a strict secret owing to the approaching enthronement. The would be assassin was arrested so the story goes, and confessed himself an anarchist. Countess Limburg-Stirum is recovering.

Locomotive Firemen's Convention.

TORONTO, Sept. 13.—The sixth biennial convention of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen opened yesterday. There were some 400 delegates present at the opening and 200 more arrived during the course of the day. There are 1,500 delegates and visitors now in the city.

Sheriff Stops Prize Fight.

CHIEF TOWACA, N. Y., Sept. 13.—The Corbett-Lavigne fight has been declared off, the sheriff declining to permit the men to give even a sparring exhibition. The preliminary was also prevented by the sheriff, although he declined to make an arrest.

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POLAVIEJA'S PARTY.

Promises to Purge Spanish Government.

CANALEJAS' ATTACKS RESUMED.

In the Senate He Openly Accuses Weyler, Blanco, Primo de Rivera and Cervera of Responsibility For Disasters.

MADRID, Sept. 13.—General Camilo Polavieja, former governor general of Cuba and of the Philippines, in the manifesto declaring his readiness to place himself at the head of a neutral party in Spanish politics denounces the "evils existing in the present political system" and declares that "every department needs cleansing."

His programme, therefore, begins with a "drastic purging of the administration," and then advocates "reform in taxation" and "purification of the electoral system."

After pledging his "unwavering loyalty to the throne," General Polavieja says:

"Spain must shape her future career in accordance with her reduced sphere of sovereignty, without losing her aspirations for the future. Above all things full light is required. The Spanish people must no longer be deluded by misrepresentation as to the country's strength."

In conclusion he repudiates the charge that he is aiming at dictatorship and appeals to all Spaniards not to be "silent spectators of the ruin of our country," but to "concentrate forces and place me in power."

El Imparcial, El Heraldo, El Pais, El Tiempo and El Globo approve the manifesto, which, however, meets with many signs of disapproval.

The session of the senate yesterday was stormy. Count d'Almenas, challenged to give the names of the generals who he recently said ought to be disgraced, replied:

"Very well, as you wish it, I will. The generals to whom I referred are General Weyler, General Blanco and General Primo de Rivera. I will also include in the same category Admiral Cervera."

This announcement led to an extraordinary scene of tumult.

Captain Aunon, minister of marine, has received an important dispatch from the Philippines describing a conflict between the Spanish gunboats and an insurgent flotilla, in which the former successfully prevented an insurgent landing in the Visayas.

According to the dispatch, the insurgents had five vessels, all of which were sunk. The Spaniards had no loss, but the telegram asserts that hundreds of the insurgents are believed to have perished.

A CONNECTICUT MYSTERY.

A Woman's Head and Legs Found In a Package at Bridgeport.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Sept. 13.—The police department is all agog over a grewsome find of two packages on the mud flats of an arm of the Yellow Mill pond which points conclusively to another murder mystery to unravel. The packages in question contained the head of a woman cut from the body near the ears and the lower limbs, which had been separated from the body, disjointed and cut in two at the knees, then tied together again and wrapped up in a strong glazed paper. The head of the woman was battered and jammed on one side and had a cloth tied over the mouth.

The packages were noticed by three young lads who were on the north end of the bridge which crosses an arm of the Yellow Mill pond late yesterday afternoon. The boys were unable to get them, and they called the attention of William Burr, a carpenter, who lives in the vicinity, to them. He procured a rake and finally landed the packages, and on opening them their grewsome contents were discovered. The police were immediately notified and Coroner Doten had the parts of the body removed to the morgue. Later the face was photographed. The head is thought to be that of a woman about 25 years old, but it was impossible to form any opinion of the nationality. From the condition of the bundles it is thought they could not have been on the flats but a few hours before they were found.

Miss Barton In Washington.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—Miss Clara Barton and party reached Washington last night from Tampa, Fla. Those with Miss Barton were Dr. Winfield Egan, chief surgeon of the Red Cross; General von Schell of the Belgian Red Cross, Dr. Gill, J. A. McDowell, Miss Lucy Graves and Miss Annie Fowler of Illinois. The party is here awaiting orders and may be sent either to the Philippines or Porto Rico. It is said that Miss Barton will make the president and secretary of state a detailed statement of the action of the Spanish authorities in refusing to allow the Red Cross to land cargoes of supplies at Havana.

A Barbados Conspiracy.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Sept. 13.—According to advices received here from Barbados, since the death of the Hon. Mr. Pile, speaker of the house of assembly, on Sept 2 from the effects of the recent attempt to assassinate him the governor and five public officials have been anonymously warned that a similar fate has been decreed for them "as a reward for their oppression." The worst feature of the Pile tragedy is that the government reward of $1,000 for information regarding the conspirators fails to induce their betrayal.

More Troops For Marchand.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—The Daily Chronicle says this morning that it has learned that a military expedition, including 16 officers and noncommissioned officers, sailed from Pauillac, France last Friday, with a view to re-enforcing the French expedition in Central Africa under Major Marchand. Great secrecy, The Daily Chronicle observes, is maintained in the matter, but the departure of the expedition is believed to confirm the report of the arrival of Major Marchand at Fashoda, on the White Nile, above Khartum.

State Village For Epileptics.

TRENTON, Sept. 13.—The commission appointed by Governor Voorhees to establish a state village for epileptics has bought a 175 acre farm at Blawenburg Somerset county, known as the Maplewood farm.

ASSASSIN'S HISTORY

Past Life of the Man Who Killed the Empress.

HIS REASON FOR THE CRIME.

Says He Is "an Anarchist by Conviction"—Had Served In Italian Army and as Valet to the Prince of Aragon.

GENEVA, Sept. 13.—On the order of a magistrate the assassin of the Empress Elizabeth was taken yesterday afternoon from St. Anthony prison to the Anthropometrical institute, where he was measured and photographed. Portraits were given to the press and will be distributed to the police in the cities where he has lived.

In the course of a second examination as to his history and the motives for the crime, he said he had never known his father or mother. He was brought up at Parma, Italy, in a charity school and at the age of 10 was thrown on the streets without resources. He worked as an unskilled laborer until he was 20. Then he served in the Italian army 3½ years.

On leaving his regiment he was employed as the valet de chambre of the Prince of Aragon for three months. At this time anarchist ideas began to possess his mind, and, to use his own words, "prevented me from remaining in servitude."

In the course of a life of adventure he happened to be at Budapest in 1894. There for the first time he saw Empress Elizabeth. He was miserable and without work and applied to the Italian consul to be returned to Italy. The consul sent him to Fiume.

His description of his subsequent wanderings was vague, but he said he seldom if ever obtained work. While staying at Lausanne he saw a file outside a junk shop, purchased it with no preconceived purpose and made a clumsy wood handle for it.

In prison he has boasted of his crime, and he has addressed a letter to a Milan newspaper expressing a fear lest he be mistaken by Professor Cæsar Lombroso for a degenerate. Dilating in this communication upon the objects of militant anarchism, he wrote:

"Above all, it is the great who must be struck. Not only sovereigns and their ministers will be reached by the comrades, but all who make men miserable on earth."

He says he was not impelled by misery to kill the empress, as such a course would have been idiotic, but he committed the deed "in order that such crimes, following one upon the other, might cause all who impoverish the populace to tremble and shiver." The document concludes with this declaration:

"I am an anarchist by conviction."

The Emperor's Grief.

VIENNA, Sept. 13.—The emperor of Austria and his daughters attended mass yesterday in the private chapel of the Schoenbrunner palace. His majesty showed evidences of intense grief, but, he said, he did not lose faith in God and expressed a wish for confession and communion.

During the day the emperor reread with much emotion a passage in the last letter he received from the empress, in which she expressed herself as being pleased at the prospect of returning to Vienna in a few days in order to witness the jubilee festivities.

His majesty discharged state duties yesterday with the usual earnestness and insisted upon replying personally to the numberless messages of sympathy he has received since the assassination of the empress.

The Dreyfus Affair.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—The Paris correspondent of The Times suggests that a second of the two cabinet councils held yesterday was called specially to avert the immediate resignation of General Zurlinden, minister for war, who, had he resigned, could not have accompanied M. Faure to the maneuvers. The correspondent understands that as M. Darlan, minister of justice, has consented to reconsider the Dreyfus dossier General Zurlinden will postpone his resignation until he returns from the maneuvers. The Paris correspondent of The Daily News says, "President Faure declared yesterday that it would never do for him to face the troops at the maneuvers if coming from a cabinet council which had adopted revision."

The Cretan Troubles.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—The correspondent of The Times at Candia, island of Crete, who has just landed, after five days in the roadstead, says: "About 600 men, women and children were either burned alive or massacred in the outbreak last week. The Turkish troops are now patrolling and blocking up the streets. The Mussulmans are ransacking the ruins of the burned quarter of the town, where the devastation is complete. Blood is visible everywhere. Such bodies of the slain as were not burned were removed in carts and buried outside the town limits."

The Yellow Fever In Mississippi.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—The following report has been received at the marine hospital bureau from J. S. Hunter, secretary of the state board of health of Mississippi: "One case of yellow fever in Jackson. Thoroughly isolated by cordon of four blocks, with another cordon outside of this. No other case in city—not even another of suspicious nature. All steps have been taken to stamp out and prevent spread of disease." No new cases have been reported from Franklin, Norwood, Holly Springs, Galveston or Key West.

Judge Cooley Dead.

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Sept. 13.—Judge Thomas M. Cooley, the noted jurist, died last night at his home here. He returned three months ago from a private sanitarium at Flint, Mich., where he had been treated chiefly for mental sickness. He was so much improved in mind that he was able to recognize acquaintances. Several weeks ago he lapsed into a comatose condition, and his death had been expected for weeks.

Separate Companies Going Home.

CAMP MEADE, Middletown, Pa., Sept. 13.—The Third New York broke camp yesterday and started for Elmira, N. Y., at 8 o'clock last evening. They took all their sick along, as none of the cases are serious.

THE BICYCLE SADDLE.

The Man Who Will Invent a Really Comfortable One Might Make a Great Fortune.

I have said before many times, and I will say again here, that if any man could invent a really comfortable bicycle seat he might make his fortune, says a writer in Black and White. I tell all my friends this and they agree with me most emphatically, and say that a comfortable bicycle saddle would be better than a gold mine; yet none of them seem equal to the task of inventing such a thing. There are, of course, thousands of very desirable, wholesome, hygienic saddles; and thousands of medical men have written to say so.

There are saddles which consider your bones and arrange your weight properly upon your tuberosities and don't pinch or rub or squeeze or do anything that causes open or definite misery; there are saddles that look right enough for everything and you only know about them after 20 miles or so; there are saddles full of India rubber and springs and other contrivances; there are saddles like life belts, saddles like sofa cushions, saddles like sausages, saddles like nothing but themselves; and yet who shall say he has ever sat upon a saddle that combined every quality needed by surgeon and physician, by a sense of harmony and beauty and by that part of the fearful and wonderful human frame more particularly involved? There is only one way to be happy though a bicyclist and that is to find a seat that is comfortable. Personally, I have suffered many things of many saddles and appear to be as far from my goal as ever. I am, in fact, growing desperate. I am beginning to feel that once on a really comfortable saddle I shall not care in the least about what doctors say concerning it.

They tell me there is a new sort of machine built on the principle of the Forth bridge. The beauty of it is the saddle, or, rather, that there is no saddle, but a sort of swinging hammock instead. That sounds all right; if it were a mere feat of imagination. Again, I hear of a soft leather saddle supported in such a way that absolute comfort results from it. Not a mere spacious burlesque of comfort, which by gradual stages develops into active and wriggling misery as your ride progresses, but real, lasting delight, and nothing to think about afterward.

Why don't somebody offer a premium for a really comfortable contrivance? I will buy it for one. I will rush forward in the very van and put down my guinea. How often have I done that already! But though each new saddle has been mounted with hope and joy and gladness, the end is always the same. Let somebody with a little mechanical genius turn his attention to this. But, of course, nothing will be done till I am gone, leaving my museum of saddles to the nation. Then the right thing is sure to be invented and I shall miss it.

WHEELING MADE EASY.

The Use of Auxiliary Handle Bars Means Wonderful Comfort, According to Their Inventor.

Mr. T. H. Briggs, inventor of auxiliary handle bars for bicycles, thinks that his device makes wheeling almost as easy as lying in a hammock. The

AUXILIARY HANDLE BARS.

auxiliary bar reaches the bend in the rider's arm and enables him to rest by folding his arms, sitting upright and yet reclining against the extra bar, while at the same time he can steer his machine. Hill climbing is also said to be easier with the auxiliary bars.

Of Interest to Machinists.

The practice of cleaning machinery by means of blotting paper has been established in German workshops. The German worker formerly received on an average 250 grains of cotton waste one new sponge cloth and one or two renovated ones per week; now he is supplied with 150 grams of cotton waste and eight to ten sheets of blotting paper, at a cost of 2½ cents, instead of, as formerly, 6¼ cents. The paper is not only cheaper, but it cannot soil the engine with fibers and rust, like sponge cloth and woolen refuse, and it is preferable to cotton waste. Beyond this, it is not so combustible as other cleaning materials, and if it should get caught while parts of engines in motion are being cleaned it tears easily and runs no risk of drawing the hand of the workman into the machinery.

Danger in Century Runs.

Beware of the "century run!" This is the advice of an eminent army physician. He cites the fact that among the national guard who enlisted from New York state were many well-known bicycle riders, and that when they were subjected to medical examination at camp more than a dozen of the most expert riders were rejected because their heart-action was not healthful. A New York physician attributes the sudden decline of a well-known society young woman, whom he has sent south for relief from lung trouble, to overexertion in making "century runs." The bicycle is a useful and harmless source of recreation, but the "century" rider makes it an instrument of torture and death.

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IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given accordingly to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Patrick Reilly, late of the town of Wawayanda, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscriber the administrator of all and singular, the goods chattels and credits of the said deceased, at the office of William J. Burke, No 67 North street, in the city of Middletown, on or before the 8th day of October, 1898.

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SALE OF DRESS GOODS.

The Arlington Mills, one of the biggest concerns in this country that makes a high grade of dress goods, put all their stock on hand in the auction room. These were all new goods, made for this fall's trade. 75,000 pieces of dress goods were sold and over $1,000,000 were realized. The biggest of the big buyers were on hand taking case after case of these goods. Our city buyer secured some choice lots of these goods at just half what they would cost bought in the regular way. These goods will be opened up at our great opening sale, Fair Week.

32 PIECES FINE FANCY DRESS GOODS

38 inches wide. If we bought them regular they would cost us 29c a yard and they retail all over for 35c. All beautiful new fall colorings and designs. During fair week sale we will cut them up at 18c per yard.

40 PIECES BLACK FIGURED BRILLIANTINES

Beautiful new goods. Every merchant sells this qual ty for 45c. Because of our city buyer's lucky purchase we will sell this lot at our opening sale at 25c a yard

20 PIECES BLACK FIGURED BRILLIANTINES

Beautiful lustre and finish. 59c elsewhere. Because of our buyer's lucky purchase we will sell them at this great sale at 35c per yard

BEAUTIFUL NOVELTY DRESS GOODS.

Some all wool and fine mixtures just opened, 35c elsewhere; at Tompkins' sale 25c per yard.

BEAUTIFUL NOVELTY DRESS GOODS

In new and striking effects. You will find them marked in other stores at 59c. They should be 50c here, but to make this a rousing dress goods sale we make the price for fair week 35c per yard

AT 50 CTS. A YARD, RICH GRANITE CLOTHS

All wool, fine silk finished Henriettas, 45 inch Black Surah Serges and beautiful new novelty effects. These goods should be 65 and 75c., but to tincture this dress goods sale with enthusiasm the price for Tompkins' fair week sale is marked to 50c per yard.

You should see the elegant 50 inch wide Wale Serges, in black and colors, 50 inch Granite Cloths in a full line of colors.

The elegant Black Crepons, at Tompkins' sale, at $1 per yard, worth $1.25 and $1.50.

$2.50 GOODS AT $1.75 PER YARD.

Elegant French Crepons, in black only, with the most beautiful lustre and finish that is found in French dress goods only. Here is a chance to save 75c a yard on these beautiful goods.

A SALE OF NEW TAFFETA SILKS.

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Two cases (4,000 yards) of dark ground new fall prints, 6c regularly; at Tompkins' sale 2½c per yard.

BEST QUALITY SILVER GRAY, BLACK AND INDIGO BLUE CALICO,

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Sheeting Muslin, unbleached, 2 yards wide, 12½ cents, worth 19c; 2¼ yards wide 14c., worth 21c.; 2½ yards wide 15c., worth 24c

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MEN'S UNDERWEAR.

One lot of very heavy Men's Undershirts, made to sell for 75c., no drawers to match these. They are an odd lot so we throw them on our counters for 25 cents.

MEN'S 50c FLEECED UNDERWEAR.

All sizes. We will sell it during fair week each 35 cents.

MEN'S 50c GRAY AND WHITE MERINO UNDERWEAR.

At this great sale 35c each.

MEN'S $1 CAMELS HAIR UNDERWEAR.

Will be marked for this sale 75c each.

MEN'S FINE CAMELS HAIR UNDERWEAR,

The $1.35 quality, double breasted and back. Also men's fine white lambs wool underwear; at Tompkins' sale both of the above lots $1 each.

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One case of boys' underwear, all sizes; shirts and drawers 25c each for small sizes, 35c for large sizes, in the way they are usually sold.

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Each 3½c.

75 PAIRS OF BOYS' KNEE PANTS,

50c quality, each 15c.

UMBRELLAS.

200 umbrellas worth 50c, at sale 29c each; 50 fine 75c umbrellas, with steel rod paragon frames and fancy handles, 59c.

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Dated March 16th, 1898

GEORGE R. GREEN, Administrator.

JOHN C. R. TAYLOR, Attorney for Administrator, Rooms 3 and 4 Low Building, Middletown, N. Y. 47w6

COUNTY COURT PROCEEDINGS.

The September Term at Newburgh—Disposition of Civil Cases—A Few Prisoners Arraigned—Fined for Violating the Excise Law.

The September term of the County Court opened in Newburgh, Monday. Judge John J. Beattie presiding. Charles Burnett, of Newburgh, was made foreman of the Grand Jury.

Judge Beattie called the civil calendar, and the following disposition was made of it:

FOR THUR DAY.

Harriet A. Snyder vs. D. G. Hartsborn; James M. Ledwrite vs. Felix Sackman; Geo. Drum, respt., vs. Holland Emelie, et al. applts.; Mary J. McCann, vs. Louis Frankle; Peter Stairs, pltf. and resp. vs. James Polycarps, deft. and aplt.

OVER.

Stephen Outwater vs. Frank Boyd; Helen M. Swezy vs. Fanny Tryon. This case was put over on account of the alleged sickness of the defendant, who is 83 years old; Ann Milligan vs. Edward C. Beirne.

FRIDAY.

John Elmer Melick, pltf., respt. vs. John A. Crass, deft., applt.

The game law case of Edward T. Marshall was set down for trial at a special term at Goshen. This a Deerpark case. Defendant was found guilty of hounding deer and the Port Jervis Justice of the Peace thinking the statutory penalty of $100 too severe let him off with a $10 fine. Marshall and the prosecutor, Game Protector Kidd both appealed.

PRISONERS ARRAIGNED.

John Curtin, of Minisink, was arraigned and pleaded guilty to selling apple whiskey in that town which is no-license, without a license. Judge Beattie fined him $200, remarking that he probably did not violate the law near as much without a licence as he would if he had one. The law is violated every day all over the country, he added.

Wm. W. Houston, who was charged with the crime of forgery in the second degree in having forged the name of James E Houston, as trustee to a check for $60, desired to change his plea of not guilty to guilty and was arraigned for sentence.

The court said he was satisfied that Houston had committed the crime whil drunk, and he thought that all his crimes were attributal to drunkenness. Houston's father had occupied a prominent position in the county and the court was disposed to be lenient. If you stop drinking I will not send you to State's prison where you will go utimately if you don't leave liquor alone. I will let you go under suspended sentence and you will be free so long as you remain sober. If you get drunk again you will be brought up again and sent to Sing Sing. If any one has a premium on sobriety, you have.

James W. Crum, who was indicted at the June term on the charge of grand larceny in stealing a bicycle from a Middletown man, pleaded guilty and was remanded for sentence. Crum was caught in Newburgh and was one of the men who assaulted the Goshen jailor and escaped. He was recaptured later.

Nicholas Pfaum, who was indicted for receiving stolen goods at Port Jervis and released on bail, was reported by his attorney, Wilton Bennett, to be too sick to appear in court, and his case went over the term.

Mr. McClung asked that the case of the people vs. Cornelia Simons, of Highland Falls, be put down for Wednesday. Her husband, who lives in Saratoga Springs, was expected to be present that day, and his testimony was required. Mrs. Simons is charged with manslaughter in the second degree in having caused the death of an adopted son by harsh treatment.

Thos. Ward pleaded guilty to the crime of assault in the first degree and was sent to the Penitentiary for one year. He shot at his wife. Ward lives in Goshen and made his escape at the recent jail breaking.

The three Hungarian brickyarders who were indicted for rioting, were released under suspended sentence.

Court then adjourned until 9 o'clock, Tuesday.

TRIED TO KILL HERSELF.

A Young Woman Arrested for Theft Took Poison on an Erie Train.

Maggie Leonard, eighteen years old, was arrested in Ellenville, Monday, by an officer from Hawley, Pa., charged with stealing $139 from her cousin, Mrs. Jones, of Hawley, with whom she boarded while employed in the silk mill there.

The officer started for Hawley with his prisoner, and at Port Jervis transfered her to the Honesdale express. Before the train left the station she swallowed a quantity of poison, but her act was seen by the officer, and she was at once removed from the train to a doctor's office, and antidotes administered, and she is now convalescent. She declares, however, that she will renew the attempt.

Ontario and Western Earnings.

The Ontario and Western reports for the first week of September earnings of $78,215, an increase of $2,349 over the corresponding week last year. The earnings from July 1 are $816,748, a decrease of $13,167 from the corresponding period last year.

City Tickets Not Good to Fair Grounds.

The Middletown-Goshen Traction Co. wishes to announce that the city tickets—16 trip—are not good for a ride to the fair grounds. 1tadv.

All pain vanished by Dr. Miles' Pain Pills

THE COMMON COUNCIL.

PROCEEDINGS OF MONDAY NIGHT'S REGULAR MEETING.

Wants to Work Out His Taxes—Many Claims for Damage from Backed Up Sewers Presented—One Suit for $1,250 Begun—Malachi Farrell's Claim for $12,000 Damages for Personal Injuries—Other Business.

The regular meeting of the Common Council, was held, Monday night, Aldermen Waldorf, Gavin, Owen, Ayres, Allen and Lawrence being present. Mr. Lawrence was made chairman, the president now being acting mayor. The reading of the minutes of the last regular and three special meetings was finished by 8:40.

B. W. Keating asked that he be allowed to work in his taxes amounting of $31, on the city's streets. It was deferred until later in the evening, when the Street Commissioner was requested to give him work.

A fire alarm box was asked for, to be located at Wisner and Grand avenues. It was referred to the fire committee and chief engineer.

The residents of the vicinity of Washington, Little and Sprague avenues, protested against the Draper Brook nuisance and offered land enough to widen and straighten the stream. The brook runs through private property and no action was taken.

T. A. March was reimbursed $1.02 for over charge on Grand avenue curbing.

The clerk was authorized to advertise for bids for flagging on Liberty street as previously ordered by the Common Council.

Chief Higham's regular report was received and filed.

A communication was received from the Health Board calling attention to the necessity f a sewer on Beattie avenue between Albert and Rowan streets. Referred to the sewer committee.

A bid for $247.29 was received from the Wallkill Hat Works, for damages caused by the backing up of the Harding street sewer. It was referred to the law committee.

Capt. Veber's report was read and filed.

Geo. W. Jones, 205 North street, claimed damages to his property amounting to $105 by the big rain of Aug. 23. Alderman Waldorf explained that the damage was not done through any fault of the city, and no action was taken.

Malachi Farrell notified the city that he wanted $12,000 for the injuries received on Harding street, Aug. 3. The matter was referred to the city attorney.

Jane A. Leemon, who owns No. 4 Smith and No. 146 North street, presented a claim for $728 damages from the storms of Aug. 2 and 23. It was laid on the table.

Thos. Watts served notice of a suit which he has brought against the city for $1,250 for damages done his property by backing up sewers, or flooded streets. It was referred to the city attorney.

T. A. Mapes' claim for the same cause was $100. It was laid on the table.

H. W. Purdy's claim was put in at $33. No action was taken.

J. J. Huyler complained. Same subject. Referred to the sewer committee.

Chairman Waldorf recommended that an overflow pipe be laid from Academy avenue through Grant street to the brook. This was adopted.

The Montgomery street brook matter was referred back to the Board of Health.

The proposed work to bring Henry street to grade will be commenced at once.

The committee on T. A. Mapes' bill reported unfavorably and the report was adopted.

The bill of $38 presented by Frank Cox for contagion-infected property burned by the Board of Health was not ordered paid.

Mr. Lawrence reported progress in the gas company investigation.

The police committee was authorized to purchase a cap for Capt. Veber and a badge for Patrolman Wilson.

On motion of Mr. Allen, the Mayor was authorized to take such action as he deemed necessary to settle the Traction Company matters.

Root Water Inspector Hirst reported on his inspections. He has found many properties that are properly connected.

The bids for coal for city buildings were next opened and found to be as follows:

C. B. Wilkes	$4 45
Wilbur Van Fleet	4 70
D. L. Decker	4 95
J. A. Wallace	5 00
D. A. Ketchum	4 80

The contract was awarded to Mr. Wilkes.

South street, from Washington to Fulton, was ordered recurbed in thirty days.

A map of Horton avenue was presented by the city engineer, which was approved.

The work of flushing the sewers in future will be done under the direction of the city engineer.

BILLS AUDITED.

Luther Barber, labor and material	$ 4 85
C. G. Baldwin, sand	29 50
J. O. Ebner, labor and material	15 19
John Stevens, labor	15 50
McCarter & Sutton, globes	1 25
Joshua Hirst, salary	16 66
Gordon & Horton, lumber	49 79
Edward Tennant, labor and merterial	23 05
Gamewell Fire Alarm Company, paint	15 60
P. F. Miller, labor and material	35 06
Thomas Stack, painting poles	35 00
C. Z. Taylor, labor and material	69 23
C. Z. Taylor, overpaid taxes	3 50
I. L. Harding, assessor	6 00
J. J. Duryea, "	6 00
S. S. Purvis, "	6 00
McMonagle & Rogers, supplies	3 45
Crane & Swayze, lumber and supplies	16 61
Hanford & Horton, supplies	2 60
J. C. R. Taylor, disbursements	12 70
I. S. Benjamin, castings	4 73
Arthur Doty, sewer pump	41 03
Ben. Terwilliger, labor	22 06
Fabric Fire Hose Co., hose and nozzle	13 20
National Saw Co., filing saws	65
Gamewell Co., steam whistle and appliances	805 06
Police	322 35
Payroll	1,217 59

The Last Mary Powell Excursion This Season

The last Mary Powell excursion of the season will be run by the Ontario and Western, on Thursday, Sept. 22d, at the popular price of one dollar for the round trip. Train will leave Wickham avenue at 7 a. m., and Main street two minutes later. Special trolley car will leave Goshen at 6:30 a. m., making connection with excursion train at Main street depot Middletown.

Returning, will leave Desbrosses street, New York, 3:15 p. m. and West 22nd street at 3:30 p. m., arriving at Middletown at 7:10.

Special Rates on the Erie.

On account of the 22d Regimental Association reunion, to be held at Elmira, N. Y., Sept. 17th, the Erie will sell round trip tickets from Middletown to Elmira and return at the rate of $8. Tickets on sale Sept. 16th and 17th.

The Erie makes rate of one and one third fare for round trip, Middletown to Utica, N. Y., on account of N. Y. S. C. E. State Convention, to be held at that place, Oct. 1st, 2d, 3d and 4th.

The Return of the Bees.

From the Kingston Leader.

Aaron Snyder, of Albany avenue, who took a number of loads of hives of bees out in the town of Marbletown so they could have a better opportunity to gather the sweets of buckwheat blossoms and thus make honey, has brought them back to his home, the honey making season being over.

A Poor Yield of Potatoes.

Those who planted potatoes in their gardens or on lots on the outskirts of this city have very little reward for their season's work. Some who dug their potatoes last week got little more than the seed used and even where there was a better yield the potatoes are very small and there are but few in a hill.

A Chance to Get a Barrel of Flour Free

The Worcester Salt Co., which has on exhibit at the fair will give a barrel of flour to the one guessing the nearest to the number of samples of salt that they will give away during the fair.

A Good Appointment.

A. M. Scriber, of Monticello, has been appointed District Deputy of the I. O. O. F., of Sullivan county. The appointment is an excellent one.

Hymeneal Notes.

—Friends of Ensign Powelson have received cards announcing his marriage to Miss Margaret Olivia Millar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Steele Millar, of Wyoming, O.

Advertised Letter List.

List of letters remaining uncalled for at the Middletown postoffice for the week ending Sept. 12th:

LADIES.

Ayres, Miss Mollie
Clark, Mrs. J. L.
Hough, S. F.
Denton Mrs Nellie
Hull, Miss H.
Haughton, Mrs Wm.
Johnson Mrs Harry
Kilbelen, Miss Katie
Luke, Mrs. M. I
McLennan, Miss Bell
Patterson, Mrs.
Reilly, Miss Minnie E.
VanGordan, Della
White, Mrs C. E.
Warden, Miss Pearl
Wolff, Misses A. B.
Walker, Miss Florie care Cludgey, Mrs.
Wetmore, Mrs. M. I.

GENTLEMEN.

Banns, Baltromej
Baker, A. L.
Carver, Rev. Marcus E.-2
Culver H. M.
D'Vaux, Charles
Gage, Frank B.
Harvey, VanEps
Hixby & Lidridge
Jasion, Piotr
Johnson, S. H.
Mackinson, Chas. F.
Olmstead, A. K. H.
Pierson, C. L.
Graham, G. R.
Thompson, B. D.
Tidaback, George
Smith, George
Smith, Alfred
Smith, S. A.
Tidante, Guiseppe
Thorp, Clarence

B. S. DAYTON, P. M.

"Life Renewer" For Ladies.

Olivia Peterson, of Coldwater, Mich., writes: "I had not been able to sit up a half a day at a time for thirteen years until I used the *Mystic Life Renewer*. It has cured me of nervous troubles, headache and a very bad stomach. It has helped me in so many ways, and cured me of afflictions that the doctors said could not be cured. The blessed Life Renewer has done more for me than all the Patent Medicines, Doctors and Christian Science treatments combined. It is the most wonderful medicine I ever saw."

Sold by J. E. Mills, No. 2 Empire Block Middletown, N. Y.

A Great Surprise.

Is in store for all who use Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs. Would you believe that it is sold on its merits and any druggist is authorized by the proprietor of this wonderful remedy to give you a sample bottle free? It never fails to cure acute or chronic coughs. All druggists sell Kemp's Balsam. Price 25 and 50c.

Beauty Is Blood Deep.

Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets,—beauty for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or $1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

A Secret Your Bowels With Cascarets.

Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

1898--Fall Opening--1898

GRAND SPECIAL SALE!

5 DAYS--During the Week of Fair--5 DAYS

SEPT. 13th to 17th.

The money usually expended on music, flowers and souvenirs on such occasions, will, this year, be put into PRICE REDUCTIONS during my opening week.

A Brand New Stock.

Without a doubt the largest and most choice assortment of stylish and well made clothing ever displayed in this city.

I WILL MAKE IT WORTH YOUR TIME TO CALL AND SEE ME

ELEGANT LINE OF

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Busiaess Suits, Trousers, Overcoats

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I WILL SAVE YOU MONEY.

CALL AND SEE ME

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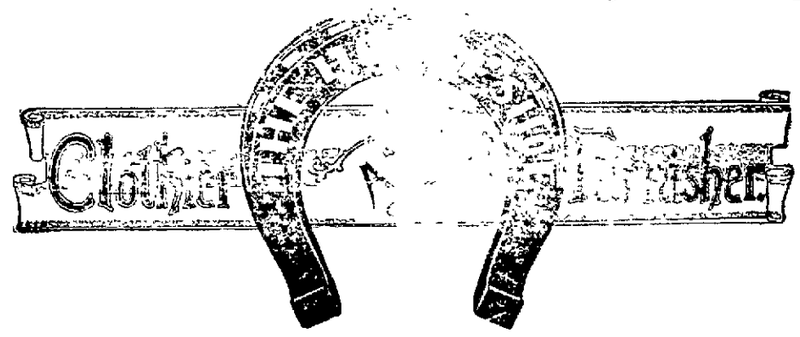

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 13.—Fair to-night; followed by increasing cloudiness Wednesday; warmer Wednesday.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Pronk's drug store, to-day:
7 A. M., 52°: 12 M., 74°: 3 P. M., 77°.

TOWN OF WAWAYANDA.

The call published in Saturday's ARGUS is hereby annulled, and the following substituted:

The Democrats of Wawayanda will meet in mass convention at Green's Hall, Slate Hill, Saturday, Sept. 17th, at 2 o'clock p. m., to choose delegates to represent them in all this fall's conventions,—Assembly, County, Senatorial and Congressional.

D. W. REEVE,
HENRY W. DOANE,
Town Committee.

TOWN OF CRAWFORD.

The Democratic electors of the town of Crawford are requested to meet at Wallace's Hall, Pine Bush, Wednesday, Sept. 14th, 1898, at 2 p m., for the purpose of choosing delegates to represent said town in all the conventions (State, County, Congressional, Senatorial and Assembly) to be held this fall.

By order of Committee.

S. H. DICKEKSON,
J. H. CLARK,
JAS. H. VANKEUREN.

ASSEMBLY CONVENTION.

The Democratic electors of the Second Assembly District of Orange county will meet at the several places where the last primary meetings, in their several towns and wards were held (unless such delegates have been already selected or unless otherwise ordered by the respective town or ward committees), on Wednesday, the 14th day of September, 1898, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing delegates to represent said towns and wards at an Assembly Convention which will be held (and is hereby called) at the Assembly Rooms, in the city of Middletown, on Monday, the 19th day of September, 1898, at noon, for the purpose of nominating a Member of Assembly and electing three delegates and three alternates to attend the State Convention, to be held in the city of Syracuse, on the 28th day of September, 1898, and a delegate to attend the Judicial Convention of the Second Judicial District, hereafter to be called, and for the purpose of transacting such other business as may properly come before the convention.

Dated September 5th, 1898.

WM. H. CRANE,
E. H. CLARK,
CHARLES E. CHULTZ, } Committee.

Algerism has been brought sharply home to the people of this city by the boggling of everything connected with the sending of the sick soldiers to Thrall Hospital.

Judge A. S. Tompkins, of Rockland county, says that he is not a candidate for the Republican Congressional nomination. Judge Tompkins is unique among the Republican politicians of Rockland county, for he is the only one who is not willing to grab at any nomination for any office for which there is a chance of election.

Judge Beattie, when he fined John Curtin $200 for selling liquor without a license, indulged in a bit of cynicism when he added that Curtin probably had not violated the law as much as he would have done had he had a license. The Judge added some further comments as to the frequency with which the excise law is violated in this county, and had he followed this up by pointing out the infrequency of convictions for such violations, he would have completed the indictment of the Raines law as the most wide open excise law this State has ever had.

The election in Maine, Monday, resulted in a Republican victory, but by a greatly reduced majority. Two years ago they carried the State by 39,000, while their majority this year cannot possibly exceed 25,000. The Democrats gain fourteen members of the Legislature. The Republican leaders say that they expected their majority would be reduced, but are silent as to the reasons why they found it impossible to awaken the usual enthusiasm and interest in the rank and file of the party.

In Maine as in Vermont the Democratic vote was above that polled at recent off year elections but the Republican vote decreased at a rate that, if it should prevail throughout the union, would lose the Republican party every doubtful State. All sorts of explanations are given for the apathy of Republicans but none of them explain. This much is very certain that the war issues which it was predicted would entrench the Republican party in power for the next eight years, are not working in the way in which the prophets expected. Whatever the original war issues were they have been dwarfed into insignificance by the war issues made by the War Department's incompetence and blundering, and its cruel sacrifice of the health and lives of our soldiers.

A GOVERNMENTAL IMPOSITION.

When the Internal Revenue law went into effect the national banks, by request of the national authorities, consented to act as stamp agents for the time being, but with the express understanding that they would be relieved of the responsibility by appointment of special agents in a short time. More than two months have now elapsed and the banks still find themselves burdened with this self-imposed, but altogether foreign, branch of business, with no prospect of being relieved of it. The commission allowed them, one per cent. on gross sales, doesn't begin to compensate them for the expenses and risks they are put to in handling the stamps. The risk is no small one, as the government exacts draft in payment before forwarding the stamps and then forwards at bank risk. The sale of stamps ought to be lodged with postmasters or other duly designated agents, but the prospect is that the banks will continue to be used in this way so long as they will put up with this altogether one-sided arrangement.

REGULARS GOING WEST.

The 13th U. S. Infantry to Pass Through on the O. and W. To-morrow.

The 13th U. S. Infantray, 395 officers and men, will pass through this city, to-morrow, on their way to Forts Niagara and Porter on a special train on the O and W.

The G. A. R. men have undertaken the task of seeing that the soldiers are provided with sandwiches and other refreshments, and all who are willing to help in this matter are requested to send their contributions to the O. and W.'s Wickham avenue station.

It is not yet known at what hour the soldiers will pass through this city, but Excursion Agent Tiel, of the O. and W., has arranged to notify Chief Higham, who will sound the Chief's call an hour before the train reaches here.

The Urgent Needs of Thrall Hospital.

Special request is made by the lady managers of the hospital for contributions of the following articles: prepared cereals, rice, farina, canned goods, jellies and small tin service trays, soap and washcloths. The ladies will be delighted if the farmers of the locality remember the sick soldiers with contributions of eggs, if only a half dozen at a time, and such fruits, corn, potatoes and vegetables as they can spare.

WILL AGAIN BE KNIFED.

From the Newburgh Telegram (Ind.)

The Republicans have renominated Louis Bedell for Assemblyman in the Second District. He was defeated last year by a scratch. If the election was held to-day he could not possibly win. No one can tell, however, what a month will bring forth. Bedell is disliked by the anti-Odell wing of the party, and he will again be knifed.

MT. SALEM.

Why School Has Not Opened—Sheep Killed by Dogs—Buckwheat a Good Crop—Other Notes.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—The school here has not opened yet on account of the seats and desks not having arrived. They were ordered some time ago, but for some reason have been delayed. Miss May Davenport will teach the school again this year.

—Dogs made destructive work among M. W. Elston's flock of sheep one night last week, killing outright two of his fattest and most valuable Shropshires. Dogs were heard barking, but no one thought of the sheep until they were found next morning. The dogs are not known.

—Nelson J. Hoyt has been confined to his bed with quinsy sore throat for the past five days but is now convalescing.

—Farmers are beginning to cut their buckwheat and pronounce it a good yield.

—Dr. G. A. Elston and family returned to their home in Corry, Pa., last week, after a four weeks' visit at his old home near this place.

—Joel Hoyt, of Paterson, N. J., who has been visiting his parents on the Hoyt homestead for the past ten days, returned home, Saturday.

GUYMARD.

Personal Notes of Interest.

Correspondence ARGUS AND MERCURY.

—John Fitzgibbons and family, of Binghamton, are visiting here.

—Miss E. Morris, of Middletown, spent Sunday with Miss Maggie Doran.

—Miss Margaret Norris has returned from a three weeks' visit in Sullivan county.

—Miss Anna Gumaer furnished music for dancing at the Delaware House, Lackawaxen, Saturday night.

—Miss Maggie Doran has returned from a pleasant visit with friends in New York, Far Rockaway and Brooklyn. She was absent two weeks.

MOUNT HOPE.

Funeral of George S. Hatch.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—The funeral services of George S. Hatch will be held from his late home on Wednesday at 2 o'clock. Will send obituary.

MILLSBURG.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—Mead's cider mill at Millsburg, is now in operation.

A little life may be sacrificed to a sudden attack of croup if you don't have Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil on hand for the emergency.

Much in Little

is especially true of Hood's Pills, for no medicine ever contained so great curative power in so small space. They are a whole medicine chest, always ready, always efficient, always satisfactory; prevent a cold or fever, cure all liver ills, sick headache, jaundice, constipation, etc. the

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THE DREYFUS CASE.

Likely to Precipitate a Cabinet Crisis.

BREAKING UP THE CAMP.

Many Regiments Ordered to Leave Montauk.

The Dreyfus Case May Precipitate a Cabinet Crisis in France.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

PARIS, Sept. 13.—The *Rappel* and *Matin* to-day say that at yesterday's cabinet council Minister of War Zurlendin explained his reasons for opposing revision of the Dreyfus case.

Premier Brissen and Minister of Education Bourgeois urged General Zurlendin to change his determination, but President Faure sided with the Minister of War, and an exciting discussion followed, and the Council adjourned until Saturday next.

The newspapers here are unanimous in expressing the opinion that the situation is serious. They say that temporizing will only delay the decision, which, if favorable to the revision of the case, will cause the resignation of General Zurlendin, and which, if hostile, will lead to the withdrawal from the Cabinet of M. Brissen, and will result in a general crisis.

It is rumored, that in view of the probable resignation of Zurlendin, M. Brissen has sounded General Brugere who, it is said, is disposed to accept the portfolio.

BREAKING UP CAMP WIKOFF.

CAMP WIKOFF, L. I., Sept. 13.—The 20th Infantry left camp, this morning, for Long Island City. The regiment goes to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas. It was followed by the 3d Infantry, on its way to Fort Snelling, Minn. When the 3d marched through camp there were hardly enough men to form two full companies. The remainder were killed or wounded or sick or furloughed.

Orders have been received for the removal of three infantry regiments to-morrow. The fouth will go to Fort Sheridan Ill., the 13th to various barracks in New York state, and the 17th to Columbus Ohio.

Four troops of Rough Riders, numbering about 250 men, were mustered out to-day and will leave for New York this evening.

SWEPT OUT TO SEA AND DROWNED.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—The mysterious disappearance of Miss Louise King from a bath house at Coney Island, on Sunday, has been explained by the confession, this morning, of a Finnish maid, Alma Lindstrom, who accompanied Miss King.

Through an interpreter, the girl stated to Mrs. Charles King, the mother, that Miss King had been drowned while the maid was teaching her to swim. They had been in the water a short time when Miss King was caught by a breaker and carried away from the rope. Before the maid could reach her the young woman was swept out to sea and drowned.

A DISPATCH BOAT WRECKED.

KEY WEST, Sept. 13.—The Norwegian steamer Albine has just arrived from Neuvitas, en route to Galveston. She brings the crew and correspondents from the dispatch boat Kanapapa, which was totally wrecked off Neuvitas, Sept. 5th. All on board the Kanapapa were saved.

THE BRIDGEPORT MYSTERY.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Sept. 13.—The trunk of the disembodied body of a supposed murdered woman, found on the flats here, last night, was found this morning at the same place. Other parts of the body were also discovered.

WILL HOLD TURKEY RESPONSIBLE

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 13.—The United States it is announced has replied to the recent note of the Turkish Government declining to accept Turkish repudiation of responsibility for American losses during the Armenian troubles.

Bad blood and indigestion are deadly enemies to good health. Burdock Blood Bitters destroys them.

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The Main Point of Interest Now.

We show more exclusive styles, a greater assortment, and at lower prices than ever before. We are showing in part

Changeable and Whip Cord Serges,
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Prices start at 25c for All Wool Goods.

CARSON & TOWNER,

No. 11 West Main Street. Telephone 166.

SCHOOL DAYS.

It will be necessary to start your boys to school with a complete new outfit. We offer special inducements in

Boys' and Children's Clothing.

We have inaugurated a special sale of Boys' and Children's Clothing AT HALF PRICE. $10 Suits at $5, $9 Suits at $4.50, $8 Suits at $4, $7 Suits at $3.50, $6 Suits at $3, $5 Suits at $2.50, $4 Suits at $2, $3 Suits at $1.50, $2.50 Suits at $1.25, $2 Suits at $1.

See Our South Window for These Values.

This is no fake advertisement. Our individual reputations are behind this statement. Our object is to advertise ourselves, and a loss on each suit is counted as expense on advertising. Boys' Caps 10c up, Children's Caps 5c up. On account of continuation of hot weather, discount of 10 per cent. in Merchant Tailoring Department is extended to Sept. 15th.

ADAMS & BOYD,

No. 41 North Street, Middletown

The Summer Season

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DRY GOODS!

Is Now Closing.

WE ARE CLOSING OUT ALL SUMMER GOODS.

—Come and see the prices.
—We are offering special value in Housekeeping Goods.
—Pillow Cases 7, 9, 12½c.
—Sheets 31, 39, 45c.
—Best 8-4 Sheeting 12½c.
—Extra size White Quilts 69c.
—Two bales Unbleached Muslin, full yard wide, 4c.
—100 dozen Muslin Underwear opened to-day.
—Corset Covers 10, 12½, 19c.
—Night Robes 39, 49, 69c.

H. E. CHURCHILL & CO.,

No. 39 North Street.

Largest Stock!

Best Assortment!

Lowest Prices!

Ladies', Gent's and Children's Summer Underwear. Silk Mitts and Gloves, colors and black. Summer Corsets, Sun Umbrellas, Fans and Outing Shirts. Linen Suits for boys. All sizes. Navy Style.

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NEW TO-DAY.

Extra large watermelons, Strawberry Pines for canning, Fancy Elberta Peaches, California Pears and Plums, Egg Plant, Cauliflower, home grown Tomatoes and Cucumbers every day. Saturday morning nice Sweet Peas and Green Corn, etc

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Bull & Youngblood,

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For Delicacy,

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WEEK OF SEPT. 12.

Frances Smith, balladist; Beebe Meerson, character change artist; laughable farce, Room 44 and 45; Joe Bonnell, baritone vocalist and trick violinist; Osborn & Weldon, comedy musical sketch; John D. Dillon, Irish comedian, vocalist and dancer.

Concerts Sunday afternoon and evening.

P. S.—Don't forget the grand ball, Thursday night, in connection with the above show. Cars leave for Middletown at 1 a. m., and Goshen at 12:20.

Stern's. -:- Stern's.

We have all the newest novelties in

Fall Millinery, Children's, Misses' and Ladies' Jackets, Fall Capes, Fall Shirt Waists,

And a complete line of Ladies' Fall Tailor-Made Suits. Our regular opening will be announced later. Respectfully

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See the bargains in Framed Pictures.

Water Colors only $1.19 Etchings from 87c up. Other fine framed pictures from 47c up.

Best goods in School Supplies. New and second hand School Books bought, sold and exchanged. Subscriptions for all publications at publishers' rates.

Hanford & Horton,

No. 6 North St., Middletown.

FAULTLESS FITTING

Is the distinctive excellence of our hand turned shoes for ladies. There is a peculiar something about the lasts on which they are made that gives every pair of them that "Old Glove Fit" that so delights every wearer of these shoes. Made in button or lace for $3 a pair.

Follow the footprints to

C. D. HANFORD'S,

No. 43 North Street.

Gas Engines.

It is now a well-known fact that gas is a superior motive power,

Requiring No Fuel, No Coal, No Wood

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I AM THE SOLE AGENT for the well-known and always reliable

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One can be seen in successful operation in my store and work room. Any one in need of power will do well by first looking into the merits of the HARTIG. Every engine guaranteed.

CHAS. H. BRINK,

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Laundry Soap.

Ten cakes choice Laundry Soap for 25 cents.

B. F. TODD, 121 North St.

THE MIDDLETOWN CITY BOOKSTORE

School Books, Tablets, Pencil Boxes, Pens, Ink, Lead Pencils for school use.

S. W. MILLSPAUGH & CO.,

20 North street.

Fall Overcoats

now ready. A full line of Fall Overcoats. Styles and prices are popular.

GREAT BARGAIN 5 CTS.

Fast colors, black or tan Socks, all sizes, only 5c a pair, the regular 10c grade, as long as the lot lasts.

Morris B. Wolf,

Blue Front Store,

No. 10 North Street.

A BIG REDUCTION

in the price of Bicycles is now going on at our store. JUST LOOK!

We are offering a $125 Orange Co. Express Chainless for $49.

A $25 "Dart" for $19.

Juvenile Wheels $19, reduced from $27.50.

A $100 1897 Orange Co. Express Bicycle for $30.

THIS BIG REDUCTION

applies to all our wheels in stock.

You cannot fail to get a bargain, and every one knows the reputation of the Orange Co. Express Bicycle.

Don't fail to see the wonderful Bicycle Gas Lamp.

N. B.—A $125 Tandem for $59.

C. E. Crawford.

Special Prizes for the best Angel Cakes exhibited at the Orange County Fair, in this city, next week.

We Offer Three Special Prizes for the Best Angel Cakes Flavored with McMonagle & Rogers' Premium Extract Vanilla.

First Prize—1 dozen bottles our Premium Fruit Flavors, assorted.

Second Prize—$2 in cash,

Third Prize—$1 in cash.

We offer above premiums for the best Angel Cake displayed at the Orange County Fair, 1898—the only conditions being as follows: Each cake shall have a card, with maker's name and address, and stating that it is 'Entered in competition for McMonagle & Rogers' Special Premium," and that it is 'flavored with McMonagle & Rogers Premium Extract Vanilla," also giving name and address of grocer of whom the Extract was bought. The prizes to be awarded by the judges of the Culinary Department, who must notify us as to whom prizes are awarded, and forward with notification the cards of successful competitors. (We will forward blank cards for above to any who desire them.) These prizes are offered to make better known to all people the purity, strength and deliciousness of our Premium Extract Vanilla and other flavors. They are for sale by first-class grocers generally. Beware of poisonous flavoring extracts.

McMonagle & Rogers, Middletown

ONE YEAR.

We have just completed our first and a very successful year in business.

Our store will continue to be conducted on the same principles as before.

We Will Give Full Value for Every Dollar. Our Prices Have Been Our Best Advertisement.

By buying and selling for cash and the amount of our expenses being so very small, we can easily afford to sell for a small profit. We mean business and intend to have lots of it.

Having honestly earned, we intend to keep the reputation of being

THE CHEAPEST HOUSE FURNISHERS IN THE CITY

FRANCE & HATHAWAY,

25 AND 27 EAST MAIN STREET.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

—Girl wanted at the Palm
—Position as bookkeeper wanted.
—Creamery and dairy butter cheap at C. N. Predmore & Son's.
—Bargains in clothing of all kinds at Geo. W. Young's.
—See claims against estate of Sarah J. Smith.
—Cottage Hotel entertainments.
—Farm for sale or exchange
—Laundry soap 10 cakes for 25c at B. F. Tocd's

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—*Remember that the third page of this paper contains good local matter, to-day.*

—McQuoids will drill to-night and Thursday night.

—After the fair, go to Midway Park, vaudeville show every night free. 48d6t

—Yom Kippur, the Jewish day of atonement, occurs a week from Monday, Sept. 26th.

—The pictures shown by Edison's wargraph machine, at Midway Park, every night, are realistic and taken from life. 48d6t

—A meeting of the Missionary Union will be held, to-morrow, at 2:30 p m., in the lecture room of the First Presbyterian Church.

—An Irish thrush, which for twenty-five years had been a pet in the household of James Monahan, in Port Jervis, died Monday.

—In another part of the paper will be found the programme of Edison's wargraph machine now showing every night at Midway Park. 48d6t

—The Y. P. S. C. E. of the First Presbyterian Church holds its social, to-night, at the home of D. H. Webster, on Highland avenue.

—It is expected that the question of whether Mrs. Thrall's bequest to this city is subject to the inheritance tax will be argued in the Court of Appeals Oct. 3d or 4th.

PERSONAL.

—Miss Mabel Williams, of Newburgh, is visiting relatives in this city.

—Mrs. Chas. Beattie went to Elberon, N. J., this morning, to spend a week with friends.

—Miss Mabel Martin left, this morning, to complete her course at the Oneonta Normal School.

—Frank M. Barnes, Jr., went to Franklin, this morning, to attend the Delaware Literary Institute.

—Miss Sadie Bodine, daughter of John H. Bodine, is now a member of the training class at Thrall Hospital.

—Miss Clara Andrews, of Newark, and Miss Thirza Kaufman, of this city, are guests of their uncle, at Mount Hope.

—Miss Lulu Worcester, of Middletown High School '98, left Monday morning for Albany, where she will attend the Albany Normal School.

—Miss Kate Beakes, daughter of ex-Sheriff Beakes, went to Oswego, this morning, to enter the Normal School there.

—Ritzie Deuton left town, this morning, for Lakeville, Co., where he will enter the Hotchkiss school and prepare for Yale College.

—Miss Nora White, a popular attendant at the restaurant at the Ontario and Western depot, has gone to New York city on a two weeks' visit to relatives and friends.

Go to the Fair To-Morrow.

The weather outlook for the latter part of the week is not altogether favorable. The Weather Bureau predicts increasing cloudiness for to morrow, and the *New York Herald's* weather prophet in his meteorological horoscope sees rain in store for to-morrow night, and wind and rain for Thursday. If you're planning to attend the fair, and of course you are, don't take chances on the weather Thursday, but go to-morrow.

Bankers to Meet at Liberty.

By invitation of the Sullivan County National Bank, the annual meeting of representatives of Group VI of national banks, which embraces the banks in Orange, Sullivan and adjacent counties, will come off at the Hotel Wawonda, Liberty, on Friday and Saturday, September 23d and 24th.

An Aged Italian's Sensational Suicide.

Because his wife would not leave her home in Italy and join him in this country Barbartolo Carmanetta, seventy-three years old, laid his head on the Erie track at Hawthorne, Saturday, in front of an approaching train, and was instantly killed, his head being severed from the body.

Organizing O. and W. Milk Producers.

The busy season on the farms being over, the work of organizing the milk producers along the Ontario and Western has been renewed. An effort will be made to form a number of new station sections before the meeting of the route association on the second Tuesday of October.

Trolley Car Arrangements for the Fair

The Traction Company announces that during the hours of the fair there will be no through cars from Middletown to Goshen. All cars will be run to the fair grounds and transfers will be issued to through passengers at the fair grounds.

Obituary Notes.

—Alderman Allen received, this morning a telegram announcing the death of his brother, Eugene S. Allen, at Council Bluffs, Ia., at 6 o'clock, Monday night. Death was due to cancer of the stomach, and was not unexpected. Alderman Allen returned from Council Bluffs only about a week ago.

THE ORANGE COUNTY FAIR

THE FIFTY-SIXTH ANNUAL EXHIBITION NOW IN PROGRESS.

Opened on the Grounds Near This City, This Morning—A Fine Exhibition Assured—Fifteen Hundred More Entries Than Last Year, and of Better Quality—The Ladies' Departments' Fine Display—Other Features of the Exhibition—The Speed Events.

The fifty-eighth annual fair of the Orange County Agricultural Society, which opened in this city, to-day, bids fair to be a record breaker. No exhibition ever began under more favorable auspices and conditions. The grounds are in excellent condition and present a most attractive appearance.

The attendance to-day has been large for the first day and every indication points to a very large crowd to-morrow and Thursday if the weather is at all propitious.

Everything was bustle and hustle on the grounds. The lowing herds came in dusty and tired, and were greeted with the shrillest notes from the big Brahmas down to the little Golden Seabright cocks. Nobody had time, however, to listen to this general discord of the barnyard. Things had to be arranged, and early, too.

The exhibits are far in excess of the liberal expectations of the oldest official. The entries exceed those of last year by over 1,500, and the quality of the exhibits is far ahead of last year. Supt. Wells and his assistant C. L. Elwood, were simply on the jump to locate them all. They treated everyone with fairness and courtesy and the result is general good feeling with just enough ripples of discontent to call attention to the serenity.

Supt. of Police Goodale was on hand early. He has a number of men in civilian's clothes who are on the watch for the pick pockets who will be present. Word came from Poughkeepsie, to-day, that a gang of these worthies were on their way here.

Mrs. B. B. Williams is the one lady in Orange county who can take hold of the domestic department of the Orange County Fair and manage it without friction. She is ably assisted by the following assistants: Mesdames George A. Swayze, C. L. Elwood, A. E. Nickinson, F. M. Barnes, H. M. Hayes, F. W. Towner, H. C. McBrair, G. M. Millspaugh, O. H. Brown, Frank Madden, L. G. Wilson, W. F. Bailey, Nellie G. Decker, Misses Mabel L. Hayes, Fanny M. Corwin, Grace Macardell, Nellie Lyon, Antoinette Beakes, Middletown; Miss Emma B. Shafer, Pine Bush; Misses Lena C. Wells, Cornelia F. Bull, Chester; Mrs. H. A. Horton, Miss Jennie E. Hawkins, Goshen; Mrs. E. P. Uptegtove Burnside; Miss Harriet B. Hill, Stony Ford; Misses Annie Hallock, Louise Mulliner, Laura M. Brooks, Washingtonville; Miss Emilie Phillips, Albany.

The ladies have had a hard time arranging the exhibits under proper classes, some of the exhibitors failing to enter their delicate finery properly.

Superintendent Hallock, of the cattle department had much trouble in finding room for all the exhibits in his department. The result is that he has had to stow them in almost as tight quarters as the soldiers had to occupy at Camp Wikoff.

President Denniston and Secretary Morrison were busy receiving visitors, too busy to devote much time to their real duties. They found the newspaper tents convenient places to retire to to rest their arms after a platoon of friends had passed and shaken their hands. Supt. Wells wisely placed the newspaper tents on officers' row, directly in front of the main exhibition hall, where the public can easily find them, and almost any desired information can be found there. The ARGUS and MERCURY tent is first on this row, and of course this paper will keep in that position all through the fair. Our contemporaries are on our right, and the tents of the President, Secretary and Chief of Police are next. In our rear is the jubilee singers' tent, and they will vie with the merry-go-rounds, the bands and the live stock, in making the fair grounds lively.

President Denniston's faithful gardener, Emil Richards, died last winter, and as a result for the first time in twenty years the president has not made his fine display of garden truck.

Speaking about twenty years, Samuel Pitts, of Montgomery, the faithful attendant at Secretary Morrison's tent, has held that position for twenty years, and for at least ten years before that he was stationed at the gates of Orange county fairs.

Manager Otis, of the Orange County Telephone Company, has placed one of his instruments in the extreme southern corner of the eastern section of exhibition hall No. 1. It is a great convenience to the people on the grounds.

Smith and Briscoe's North Carolina minstrels and jubilee singers are fourteen strong. They include Bertie Smith, a phenomenal tenor, Arthur Wilmore, comedian, Johnnie Downs, comedian, Walter Jones, comedian, Miss Mamie Johnson, ballet dancer, Miss Annie Briscol, buck and wing dancer, Miss Ida Jones, tambourine artist. The show is continuous from 10 to 5 each day.

The ARGUS, knowing that the dear public appreciates its prompt bulletin service, has arranged to keep the latest news before the public at all times. Keep your eye on the bulletin.

Hon. W. H. Clark, of Westtown, who with Charles Mapes, of this city, has charge of the sheep and swine, report a very large entry list, and that they placed them all without the least bit of "kicking" on the part of exhibitors. The other superintendents are jealous of their success.

Assistant Superintendent Elwood announces that any one in Orange County desiring to drive showy rigs, or any old rig, in the cavalcades, is invited to do so every day at 1 o'clock.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U., headed by their President, Mrs. W. J. Groo, opened their cosey cottage early this morning. They have it well supplied with chairs, and are glad to welcome their friends. Articles may be checked there and the ladies can direct you to any particular destination.

The fair managers have distributed water barrels, heaping with ice, at frequent intervals about the grounds, and one of these is located in front of the ARGUS tent. The tent representatives are already tired of agreeing with the people that it is "pretty thin."

MIDDLETOWN MERCHANTS' EXHIBITS.

Among Middletown's well known merchants whose exhibits are prominently displayed upon the grounds are the following:

In exhibition hall No. 1, C. E. Crawford has the largest exhibit of any. Adrian H. Crawford is in charge and he delights in showing the complete dining room, bedroom and parlor outfits. The display of crockery is a feature. It is made at their own pottery at Toronto, O. Here is also an exhibit of sewing machines and bicycles.

Frank J. Lindsey and son Harry show some neat plans for homes in city and suburbs.

Dr. Moule has modern eye-testing instruments, and a complete exhibition of eye glasses for people with weak eyes.

Nilsson, the photographer, has a fine display of photographs and life size pictures of well known Middletown people, chief among them being Charles Higham and Dr. Moule.

Carson & Towner have a particularly fine exhibit of hosiery and kid gloves. The display is very attractively arranged and hence many stop to look at it.

The Bradnack Music Company has two exhibits, one of the famous Mathushek piano with the Angelus organ attachment, and the other, which is in charge of I. Emory Davis, shows the White sewing machine and Farrand and Votey's organs. An operator shows the machines.

Van Duzer & Smith have a fine display of tapestries, couches, sideboards, lamps, etc. This exhibit attracts much attention and reflects credit upon Walter J. Startup and Moses Seacord who arranged it.

McMonagle & Rogers have made an even more complete exhibit than last year. It is in charge of A. T. Decker. It includes their famous Italian violet perfumes, toilet preparations, flavoring extracts, concentrated fountain syrups, Mexican vanilla beans and hospital surgeon's supplies.

Buck Bros. is a new name at Orange county fairs, but the brothers show a line of West Shore ranges, heaters and saws which are bound to keep the firm's name popular among the people of Orange county.

John T. Ogden & Son have a large display of harness and articles needed by horse owners. It is one of the largest exhibits of harness seen in several years.

C. D. Hanford, the shoe dealer, only needs an overhead cash delivery to make it look like his uptown store. The foot prints all seem to stop directly in front of his exhibit.

Hoyt & Galloway show the popular Willard Ranges—all made in Orange County," coming as they do from a Port Jervis foundry. They are going to give away an Imperial Willard Range free. All that you have to do is to walk up and ask for a ticket and you'll get a number. On the last day the tickets will be nicely mixed, and the last one out of the box will win the range. This firm also shows the Lakewood Gasoline stoves.

Edmond & Van Sickle, the North street shoe dealers, have put up as catchy an exhibit of shoes as one sees anywhere. The liberal use of attractive bunting adds to the beauty of the display.

E. E. Rausch has one of the largest and most complete displays of harness, boots, blankets, whips, etc. He has some of the latest and most improved conveniences in horse dressing.

Jacob Gunther's show of part of his famous collection of stuffed game is far ahead of last year. Batchelder's work was never shown to better advantage than here. The exhibit is one of the most popular on the grounds.

OTHER TRADE EXHIBITS.

E. B. Shaw, of Goshen, sees a good thing in the Orange County Fair, and his display of re-dressed lace curtains holds the attention of every lady who passes.

The California Fig Syrup Company, of New York, and the Worcester Salt Company also show specimens of their staple articles.

Coyne & Reed have a display of Plymouth Rock Icing, for cakes which looks well and tastes even better.

THE RACES.

This afternoon there are two events in the speed classes. In the 2:23 trot for a purse of $300, the horses as shown by the score card are: Geo. Gillett's Stella G., John Cadvor's Alpha C., (Brooklyn;) Lucy M., owned by Geo. Ihnkin, (Brooklyn;) Legend from Goshen's Oak Hill Farm; Rosemont, owned by Elting Harp, of New Paltz; and W. H. Wood's Dimple, from Chester.

The 3:00 class has thirteen entries. E. E. Wood, who is well liked by all horsemen will start the races, and the judges will be determined when the events are called.

TO-MORROW'S SPEED EVENTS.

To-morrow there will be a trot for 2:29 horses, for a purse of $250, and a trot for 2.28 horses for $300. Both have a good list of entries. There is a cavalcade of horses at 10 o'clock each day.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Isaac M. Seybolt.

Mrs. Mary C. Seybolt, wife of Isaac M. Seybolt, of the town of Greenville, died Saturday evening, from fever, following an attack of summer complaint. She was seventy-three years old.

She was a daughter of the late F. A. Seybolt, of Mount Hope, and was married to Mr. Seybolt in 1847. All her married life was spent on the farm on which she died.

Mrs. Seybolt was an exemplary and loving wife and mother and an excellent neighbor and was highly esteemed and respected by all who knew her. She is survived by two sons and five daughters: James F., of Huguenot; William, of Port Jervis; Jane Frances, wife of Albert Shute, of Greenville; Marietta, wife of B. W. Winters, New York city; Adelaide, wife of James Alward, of Port Jervis, and Delaphine and Carrie, at home.

Patrick Nugent.

Patrick Nugent, proprietor of the Hotel Royal, in Newburgh, died there, Monday evening, after a brief illness.

Mr. Nugent was the son of Arthur and Ann McNulty Nugent, of County Armagh, Ireland, who came to this country fifty years ago and located at Wurtsboro, Sullivan county.

Mr. Nugent was the only son of a family eight children, two of whom died on the ship coming to this country. The others are: Catharine A., wife of P. H. McShane, of this city; Alice, wife of Daniel McDonald, deceased, of Newburgh; Mary, who died in 1878 in this city, and Ellen, who died in 1880 in Wurtsboro, and Bridget, the youngest, wife of Michael Rogan and brother of J. F. Rogan, of this city, living on the old homestead in Wurtsboro.

Mr. Nugent followed boating on the D. & H. and Northern Canals until about twenty-four years ago, when he came to this city and took an agency for Burke & Chohalan, brewers of this city. He was in their employ for two years, when he married his first wife, a most estimable lady, Miss Ellen Burns, of Phillipsport, and located at Newburgh in the wholesale ale trade near Washington's Headquarters. After one year there he started the place where he died, and accumulated a considerable fortune. He was interested in the Beveridge Brewing Company and in the Newburgh Daily News and several other enterprises.

Mr. Nugent was the father of a family of seven children by his first wife: Arthur and James in the *Daily News* office, Newburgh, Frank and David, at home; Lawrence and John deceased; Julia his only daughter, died in June of this year just before graduating from the high school.

His second wife, Miss Jennie Connors, sister of Miss Maggie Connors, formerly of this city, and Katie, wife of Policeman Faulkner, of this city, survives him.

Mr. Nugent has a host of friends who will be pained to learn of his sudden death in the prime of life.

The funeral will be held Thursday from his late home, Broadway, Newburgh. The remains will be laid at rest in the family plot.

Traction Company's Generous Offer to Convalescent Soldiers.

The Superintendent of the Traction Company has offered the full use of a special car, at any time, to the soldiers at Thrall Hospital. Reserved seats at the attraction at the park will also be provided. The offer will no doubt be gladly accepted by the Hospital managers in behalf of the soldiers.

Meeting of the Board of Underwriters.

There was a meeting of the Orange County Board of Underwriters, Monday, at Goshen, at which Irving Elston, of Port Jervis, was appointed a member of the county committee.

If you have been sick you will find Hood's Sarraparilla the best medicine you can take to give you appetite and strength.

BILIOUSNESS

bosses many a body and burdens many a mind. You can't enjoy the food you like because you are bilious. You take all sorts of precautions, and yet the bilious attack leaps on you like a tiger from ambush. You know the feeling! The blood seeming on fire with a dull heat; the boring pains in the eyes; the head seeming to open and shut; the horrible nausea. You know the irritability which precedes and the languor that follows the attack. It's miserable, isn't it? Why not cure the trouble? There's a pill that will cure biliousness. Dr. J. C. AYER'S PILLS are an acknowledged specific for this derangement.

A. Swanger, Texarkana, Tex., writes: "For fifteen years I have used Ayer's Pills, and find them very effective in bilious complaints. I have yet to see the case where they have failed to cure."

If You are Bilious DO NOT FAIL TO Try

AYER'S PILLS

ROYAL Baking Powder IS THE BEST.

A pure, cream of tartar powder,
Greatest in Leavening Strength,
It makes lightest, sweetest, most wholesome food.

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Ideal Treatment for Rheumatism.

The "Mystic Cure" for Rheumatism removes at once the rheumatic poison from the system and the disease immediately disappears. Whilst the "Mystic Life Renewer" builds up the shattered nervous system, improves the digestion and restores the general health. It is the greatest cure for all nervous diseases and weakness as well as the most powerful nerve builder known.

Sold by J. E. Mills, 2 Empire Block, Druggist, Middletown.

Sciatic Rheumatism Cured.

L. Wagner, wholesale druggist, Richmond, Va., says: "I had a fearful attack of sciatic rheumatism, was laid up almost two months; was fortunate enough to get Mystic Cure For Rheumatism. This cured me after doctors' prescriptions had failed to have any effect. I have also heard of fine results from others who have used it." J. E. Mills, Druggist, No. 2 Empire Block, Norris street, Middletown, N. Y.

To Cure Constipation Forever.

Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

Wagons at Cost!

Having leased our building, we will offer our entire stock at cost from now to Oct. 1st.

A CHANCE IN A LIFE TIME.

See these prices. Road Wagons $30, were $40. Top Buggies $40 to $90, were $50 to $115. Delivery Wagons $40 to $60, were $51 to $82. Canopy Top Surrey $95, was $127. Extension Top Surrey $105, was $133; and a similar reduction through all our large stock. Your choice if you come early enough.

EMPIRE STATE WAGON CO

243 North Street, Middletown.
TELEPHONE 310.

Green Ginger,
Turmeric,
Mustard Seed,
Extracts Cloves and
Cinnamon
and Best Spices of all kinds.

OLNEY'S PHARMACY, FRANKLIN SQUARE.

FAIR NOTES!

It is but fair to state that we expect at our store the great crowd of the week—for our great closing out sale is bound to attract buyers.

You can buy Overcoats for from $3 to $5 cheaper than regular prices.

Men's and Boys' Light Suits at half price

Heavy Weight Suits at cost.

We will sell our $2 Fleece Lined Underwear for $1, and we have Underwear as low as 19c per garment.

Men's Lined Working Coats, worth $1.50, can be bought for 75c.

For 50 or 75c., you can buy a Hat of us worth $2.

We are selling out for a fact. The stock must go. Call in and see us.

George W. Young,

16-18 East Main Street.

SICK HEADACHE

Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They Regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

SUPREME Court, Orange county—Grace Wilson, plaintiff, against Sarah W. Wilson and others, defendants.

In pursuance and by virtue of an interlocutory judgment of sale in partition, duly made in the above entitled action, on the sixth day of June 1898, and duly entered in the Orange County Clerk's office, I, the undersigned referee named in such judgment, and appointed for that purpose, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder the following pieces and parcels of land at the following times and places:

FIRST.

AT THE HOTEL KNOWN AS THE RUSSELL HOUSE, A HOTEL KEPT BY E. A. BROWN, ON JAMES STREET, IN THE CITY OF MIDDLETOWN, ORANGE COUNTY, N. Y., ON FRIDAY THE SIXTEENTH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1898 AT 10 O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON OF THAT DAY, all and singular, the land and premises and appurtenances in said judgment mentioned and therein described as follows, to wit:

All that tract or parcel of land, situate in the village of Pine Bush, town of Crawford, county of Orange, and State of New York, beginning at a stone set in the easterly line of a street running past E. J. Taylor's, on the southerly side of Depot street, then along Depot street (106) one hundred and five feet to a stone set in the lands of A. R. Taylor, then along his lands (107) one hundred and seven feet, then northwesterly (94) ninety-four feet; then southerly (107) one hundred and seven feet to a stone set at a street, known as The Newburgh and Ellenville Plank Road thence along the northeast side of same westerly (100) one hundred feet, to a stone set on the southeast side of Centre street; then along the easterly side of Centre street (214) two hundred and fourteen feet to the place of beginning, containing about one-half acre of land, be the same more or less, being the same property formerly owned by Barbara Lux and also being the same property conveyed to the party of the first part (Estella Pindar) by Archibald R. Taylor, by deed dated November 28th, 1887, and recorded in Orange County Records of Deeds in Liber 355 page 148, on the 30th of November, 1887, at 10.4 a. m.

Being the same premises conveyed by Estella Pindar to Thomas B. Wilson by deed dated March 17th, 1890 and recorded June 2d 1890, in the Orange County Clerk's office, in book of deed No 376 at page 205

And also all that tract or parcel of land situate in the town of Crawford, county of Orange and State of New York in the village of Pine Bush, in said town, county and State bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Depot street one hundred and five feet easterly from the easterly line of Centre street, in the line of lands of Thomas B. Wilson, and runs thence southwesterly along said Wilson's lands one hundred and seven feet to a stake, thence westerly further along said Wilson's lands five feet thence southwesterly still further along said Wilson's lands one hundred and seven feet to the northerly line of the Newburgh and Ellenville Plank Road, thence easterly along the northerly line of said Plank road about eighty feet to the westerly line of Railroad avenue, thence northeasterly along the westerly line of Railroad avenue about two hundred and sixteen feet to the southerly line of Depot street thence westerly along the southerly line of Depot street, eighty-five feet to the point or place of beginning, together with all the first party's right, title and interest of in and to the lands adjoining said lot to the centre of the Newburgh and Ellenville Plank Road Depot street and Railroad avenue subject to the rights of the public therein, and this deed is intended to convey the said first party's right, title and interest in and to the lands within the above mentioned boundaries the said second party, his heirs and assigns however, are to maintain the tile drain running through the southerly portion of the above described premises, which runs under the said Plank Road and under the tracks of The Middletown and Crawford Railroad Company, being one of the lots of land conveyed to Annie G. Taylor by Archibald Taylor and others by deed dated December 4th 1891 and being the same premises conveyed by Annie G. Taylor to Thomas B. Wilson by deed dated April 6th 1898 and recorded in the Orange County Clerk's office in book No 398 of Deeds, at page 503, on the 11th day of April 1898

SECOND.

AT THE PREMISES KNOWN AS THE DELAWARE HOUSE ON THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF RAILROAD AVENUE AND PIKE STREET IN THE VILLAGE OF PORT JERVIS ORANGE COUNTY, N. Y. ON THE SAID SIXTEENTH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1898 AT TWO O'CLOCK in the afternoon of that day, all and singular the lands and premises and appurtenances mentioned in said judgment and therein described as follows, to wit:

All that tract and parcel of land situate in the village of Port Jervis, county of Orange and State of New York known on a map of Thomas King's property in said village on file in the County Clerk's office in Goshen, in said county as lot numbers fifty-eight (58), fifty-nine (59) sixty (60), sixty-five (65) and the northwesterly half (½) of lot No sixty-six (66) the lands hereby conveyed measuring one hundred fifty (150) feet on Pike street and one hundred and fifty (150) feet along lots Nos 64 and 67 said premises being known as the Delaware House property and the same property conveyed by Edwin C. Wickham to James B. Wickham, by deed dated 9th March 1886 recorded in Orange County Records of Deeds in Book 341 at page 93 March 9th 1886 and being the lands described in a deed from James B. Wickham to Thomas B. Wilson dated February 15th 1889, and recorded in the Orange County Clerk's office, in book No of deeds at page 517 on the 5th day of March 1889

Excepting and reserving thereout all that tract or parcel of land situate in the village of Port Jervis, Orange county, New York being part of the premises known as The Delaware House property in said village, and bounded and described as follows

Being the southwesterly portion of lot No sixty-five (65) on a map of Thomas King's property on file in the Orange County Clerk's office and fronting on Pike street twenty-five feet, and being the same property now occupied by Thomas Wilson as a saloon, and twenty-five feet from the rear and seventy-five feet deep being the lands and premises conveyed by Thomas B. Wilson and wife to Maria Fallon by deed dated November 22d 1890 and recorded in the Orange County Clerk's office in Book No 380 of Deeds, at page 141 December the 8th 1890

And excepting and reserving thereout all that tract or parcel of land situate in the village of Port Jervis county of Orange, and State of New York and bounded and described as follows viz: Beginning at an iron bolt on the most southerly corner of lot No sixty (60) and in the line of lands of the Erie Railroad Company, and running thence on the needle pointed in 1890, along the line of lots 60 and 61, and the continuation of said line across lot 66 and along lands of Andrew Cuff south fifty-four degrees and forty-three minutes west 1 4 and 2-10 feet to the corner of lot 70 and lands of the party of the second part, thence along the line of lots 70 and 69 north seventy-six and 44 minutes west 77 and 2 10 feet to an iron bolt driven in the ground, at the most southerly corner of lands of Thomas J. Fallon, thence along the line of said Fallon and lands of the party of the first part north 54 degrees and fifty-six minutes east thirty-one feet to a point one foot west of the southwest corner of the barn.

Thence parallel with the second described line and along the line of the barn south 54 degrees and 44 minutes east 20 and ½ feet to an iron bolt in the ground, thence north sixty one degrees and forty-two minutes east 108 and 7 10 feet to an iron bolt in the line of the lands of the Erie Railroad Company, and thence along said line south 29 degrees east 44 feet to the place of beginning, and being the same premises conveyed by Thomas B. Wilson and wife to William Collier by deed dated October 28th 1896 and recorded November the 21st 1896, in the Orange County Clerk's office in book of deeds 426, at page 216

Dated July 28th, 1898

RUFUS W. WIGGINS Referee

JOHN C. R. TAYLOR, Attorney for Plaintiff Rooms 5 and 6 Low Building, Middletown N. Y.

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"PECOS BILL'S" OLD HORSE.

The Steed That Gen. Shafter Rode in Many a Hot Chase After Indians.

Old Chub, the horse ridden by Gen. Shafter in many a hot chase after the Indians during the seventies, is still alive, says the New York Herald, and in his old age earns his daily allowance of oats by drawing a delivery wagon for Louis Jean, a Frenchman, who runs a small grocery in El Paso, Texas.

Old Chub was Gen. Shafter's mount while he was lieutenant colonel at Fort Davis, Tex., and carried the gallant soldier into the midst of many murderous bands of Apache warriors without faltering. Astride of Old Chub, Shafter led his regiment at San Felipe, then the rendezvous of the Apaches, up to Live Oak creek, and up and down both sides of the Pecos river, where he earned the name of Pecos Bill. Old Chub and his master drove the Indians out of Texas and back to the reservation in New Mexico, and Shafter's name became a terror to the redskins and his reputation as a fighter was made.

The war horse was condemned at Fort Davis in 1882 as being too old for work. He was then believed to be 13 years of age and must now be at least 29. After he had been condemned as unfit longer to serve his country on the battlefield Old Chub was retained by Col Shafter for a saddle horse. He was subsequently sold to a man named Houston and brought to El Paso. He was afterward sold to a transfer company and used as a draught horse

Since that time Old Chub has been used in a livery stable, but for the last ten months has been owned by the French grocer, Jean.

QUICKNESS OF SENSATION.

Hearing with One Ear Is Said to Be Sharper Than with Two—Other Functions.

Prof. Richet says that it takes a man about one-eleventh of a second to think out each note of a musical scale. He explains the practice that people will often follow of bending their heads in order to catch minute sounds, by the fact that the smallest intervals of sound can be made better distinguished with one ear than with both remarks the New York Evening Journal.

Thus the separateness of the clicks of a revolving toothed wheel were noted by one observer when they did not exceed 60 to the second but using both ears he could not distinguish them when they occurred oftener than 15 times a second.

Among the various ways in which Prof Richet tried to arrive at conclusions as to the amount of time necessary was the touching of the skin repeatedly with light blows from a small hammer The fact that the blows are separate and not continuous pressure can be distinguished when they follow one another as frequently as 1.000 a second.

The sharp sound of the electric spark from an induction coil was distinguished with one ear, when the rate was as high as 500 to the second

The sight is much less keen. When revolving at a speed no faster than 24 times a second, a disk, half white and half black, will appear gray.

We also hear more rapidly than we can count. If a clock-clicking movement runs more quickly than ten to the second we can count four clicks, while with 20 to the second we can count only two of them.

NOW UNDER THE FIFTH VIAL.

According to Prophecy Turkey Is to Be Smashed After Spain, and Then Comes a General War.

According to the scheme of prophecy adopted by leading interpreters, the world is now under the fifth vial, which is being poured out on the seat of the beast.—Rev 26:10. If so, we need not be astonished at still greater and heavier judgments yet to be sent upon Spain. For the vial is now to be drained to its dregs, says a minister in the Atlanta (Ga.) Journal.

After the humiliation and overthrow of the Spanish power the next thing on the prophetic bulletin board will be the destruction of Turkey, symbolized by the drying up of the river Euphrates. We no more doubt the destruction of Turkey than the shining of the sun At the beginning of the present struggle many expressed the fear of a general war, in which all the nations of Europe would be involved The writer took no part in such fear and for the reason the time for that had not yet come. The sixth vial must first be poured out upon the Euphrates (Turkey), after which the seventh and last vial is to be poured out into the air. Then, and not till then, may we expect anything like a general war.

In connection with the pouring out of the seventh or last vial, is to be the last of great earthquake or upheaval in the religious world, which is to usher in the millennium, by which we are not to understand that everybody is to be converted, but simply that all organized opposition to the Gospel will be done away with.

Great Events in Bismarck's Career.

Bismarck's career, says the New York Tribune, was a series of battles First, for the Prussian crown against republicanism; next, for the Prussian crown against Austria; then for the German crown against France; again for the German crown against the Vatican; and finally, for the German crown against political factions and socialist tendencies. From first to last he wore the uniform of the king's man.

England's Loftiest Cliff.

The loftiest cliff on the coast of England is Beachy Head, the height of which is 564 feet.

In the old frontier days hundreds of pioneers were tortured and burned at the stake by cruel Indians. The tortures endured by these martyrs must have been something horrible. There are thousands of men to-day who are being slowly tortured to death at the stake of disease Their bodies cry out but in a language that only the sufferers themselves can hear When a man is suffering in this way his body cries out with an aching head, a sluggish body, muscles that are lax and lazy, a brain that is dull, a stomach that disdains food and nerves that will not rest.

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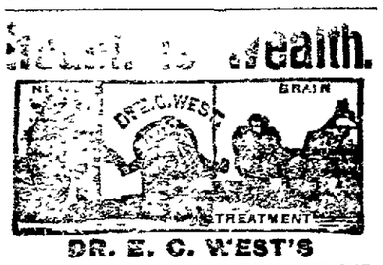

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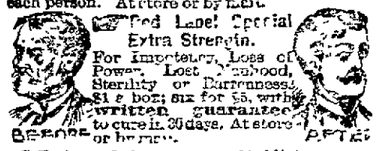

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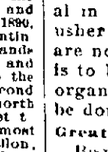

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"Take a dog's head in your two hands and look into its eyes. The beast will return your gaze, not for long, perhaps, for the contemplation of human intelligence distresses all animals. But it is not so with the monkey. I Hold its head as patiently as you please between your hands, and it will cast its eyes up to the ceiling and keep on winking, or cast them down at the floor, as if asleep, or twist them around in a most absurd fashion to look over to one side or the other, but never, even in passing by it, will it catch yours.

"Why is this? I don't know, unless it is that the animal has some secret regarding our own origin that it does not wish us to find out. However, if they are bashful, they are very inquisitive, and if I were to leave my camera unguarded for ten minutes in a cage containing a dozen monkeys half the family would be busy taking photographs of the other half."

GREASY NOSES AND LIVERS.

A Little Medicine Is All That Is Now Needed to Remedy the Trouble.

"A greasy nose is as sure a sign of a disordered liver," explained a physician to a Washington Star reporter, "as anything that I know outside of real sickness, and by studying this as a barometer much trouble can be averted. In these days when a full outfit of medical granules for liver troubles can be secured for ten cents at any drug store there is but little excuse for it, except in rare cases, when ten cents' worth of medicine won't do the work, and here a physician is necessary.

"I was much amused at reading in a New York paper recently an article written by one of these modern beautifiers of a preparation that was said to be a sure remedy for a greasy nose. It went on to tell how much rose leaves, how much vinegar, spirits of wine and a half-dozen other things should be used in a preparation to wash the nose, and after telling all of these it wound up with advising that some liver medicine should be used in connection therewith. Now, I can assure you that the liver medicine would effect the cure without the rose leaves and the other stuff, and, indeed, in spite of it I don't mean to say that one of those swollen, three times enlarged and fiery red proboscides can be reduced with a little liver medicine, but what is known as greasy nose will be removed by it."

WALKING FROM DAY TO DAY.

A Traveler Who Reports That He Has Found a Unique Spot in the Fiji Islands.

There is one place where you can walk from one day into another. Yes there is a part of Vanua Levu, the northern of the two main islands of the Fiji group, which is crossed by the 180th degree of east longitude, and given in a street in a town running north and south of this line, it would be, say, Sunday on one side and Monday on the other, and a few years hence it might also be the 19th century on one side and the 20th on the other, but, of course, not for very long.

W. S. Gilbert was once thinking of threading an opera on this line—the meridian, of course—and if he has given the idea up, the world has lost a good deal of laughter One can imagine the stage representing the street with a white line down the center with churches open and publics closed on the one side, with publics open and churches closed on the other side.

The idea of a man trying to serve another with a writ under such circumstances would also be rather funny because, you see, it would be a trifle difficult to serve a writ which is dated to day yesterday, and while yesterday was catching up to to-day, of course the other man might have got into to-morrow, and so on. The idea is distinctly Gilbertian.

Peculiar Boycott.

Sulz, a Swiss town in the canton of Aargau, is suffering from a peculiar boycott. The town recently dismissed its school teacher, after 50 years' service, without giving him a pension, and advertised for a new teacher There were no applications for the place, the Aargau Teachers' League having put the town on its black list and declared that it would not remove the ban until the discharged teacher received a pension. The town decided to sue the teachers, but no lawyer in the canton could be found to take up the case. Other professional men have also decided to have nothing to do with Sulz.

The Pope and His Birds.

It may not be generally known that the pope has a collection of birds of which he is very fond, including some gaudy-colored parrots, while among other pets are pelicans, ostriches and fawns. These receive his frequent attention. He has also a vineyard, so much the object of his special care and attention that he may almost be called its cultivator.

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And Then She Subsided.

Wife (with a determined air)—I want to see that letter.

Husband—What letter?

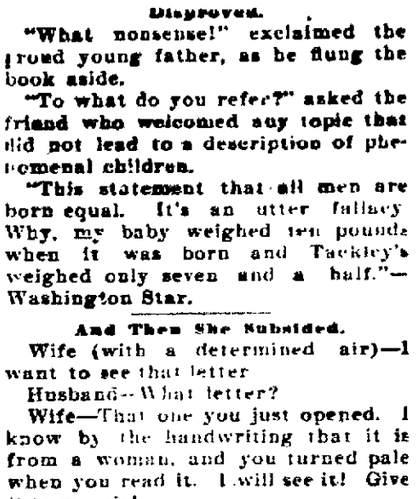
Wife—That one you just opened. I know by the handwriting that it is from a woman, and you turned pale when you read it. I will see it! Give it to me, sir!

Husband—Here it is. It's your milliner's bill.—Tit-Bits.

Agricultural.

The happy farmer murmured: "When to politics you turn
There is something which, with profit, you might come to me and learn
Remember, if you wouldn't be a lonely derelict,
That booms which sprout early run to seed before they're picked
—Washington Star

A TRUE BLUE YANKEE GIRL.



Foreign Lord (just refused)—You hardly make allowances for my title. I venture to think.

American Girl—No, I don't want to marry any man for whom I have to make allowances!—Illustrated American.

A Reflection.

"There is one crop that never fails
In this world of ours," said Bumpus;
"From the seeds of discontent
We can always raise a rumpus."
—N. Y. Evening Journal.

Would Be Inconvenient.

Raynor—Old fellow, I wish my memory was as good as yours.

Shyne—It wouldn't do at all, old man. If it were as good as mine you would remember distinctly that you borrowed a dollar and a half from me six months ago, and that you haven't paid it yet.—Chicago Tribune.

Much Against Him.

"Everything seems to be against me," he said.

No doubt he exaggerated, but there was certainly a good deal against him, for the girl who sat by his side and pillowed her head on his manly breast weighed not less than 250 pounds.—Chicago Post.

As He Viewed It.

Towne—I don't see how it comes that shipwrecked sailors often starve to death.

Browne—Why not?

Towne—Well, I came across about two weeks ago, and I don't feel like eating yet.—Brooklyn Life.

Fishing for a Title.

First Hobo—I'd like to go to Cuba.

Second Hobo—What for?

First Hobo—I'm tired of being called a tramp; it would seem more high-toned to be known as a reconcentrado.—Town Topics.

Mr. Asbury Peppers.

"These were extras—" the garrulous boarder began.

"Are you referring to the appropriation bills?" Asbury Peppers made all possible haste to ask.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Lack of Material.

"Bridget, I told you twice to have muffins for breakfast. Have you no intellect?"

"No, mum, there's none in the house."—What to Eat.

For Good and All.

He—My wife never got the better of me but once.

She—Lucky man! When was that?

He (sighing)—When she married me.—Tit-Bits.

Experience Had Taught Him.

She—They say mischief causes dimples. Do you believe it?

He—No; I believe it's the dimples that cause the mischief.—Fliegende Blaetter.

A Hint to Writers.

One swallow makes no summer—
Deny it, there's no use;
But often we have found that
One quill can make a goose.
—Puck.

She Saw the Kiss Coming.

Ella—Fred kissed me last night when I wasn't looking.

Stella—Shut your eyes, did you?—N. Y. Evening Journal.

Put His Foot In It.

Miss Basseo (giving a dinner)—This wine is over 40 years old.

Idiot (thoughtlessly)—Bottle it yourself?—Tit-Bits.

Literally True.

Teacher—How did Jacob supplant Esau?

Johnny—By playing a skin game.—Brooklyn Life.

Cheering Him Up.

"Poor papa, it must be terrible to be so ill and miserable—but what can't be cured should be—er—insured."

LOCATIONS OF FIRE ALARM BOXES.

For the information of our readers, we publish below a complete list of the numbers and locations of all the fire alarm boxes in this city:

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15—North street and Low avenue, hat shops.
16—North St. and Wisner Ave., type shop.
17—Railroad avenue and Montgomery street.
18—Grand avenue and Prince street.
23—Wickham avenue, corner Liberty street.
24—West Main street and Wallkill avenue.
25—North street, corner Wickham avenue.
26—James and Henry streets.
27—North and John streets, Erie crossing.
28—Lake avenue and West street.
29—W. Main street, corner Monhagen avenue.
213—State Hospital Gate.
214—Prospect street and Highland avenue.
215—Rear of State Hospital.
24—Fulton and Mill streets, hat shop.
25—High and Hanford streets.
26—Canal street, condensery.
27—Mulberry and Fulton streets.
28—Fairview avenue and South street.
41—Fulton street and East avenue.
42—Academy avenue and Houston avenue.
43—East Main street and Railroad avenue.
45—East Main street, foot of Orchard street.
46—Academy avenue and Genung street.
47—Myrtle and Prospect avenue.
48—Grant street and Sprague avenues.
49—East Main street and Prospect avenue.
54—North street, near Orchard.
57—Franklin Square.
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STATIONS.	11 *	1	3	17 Half Hldy Sat. Only	7 Vestibuled Limited	15 Ulster Co. Exp	5 * Chicago Lmt
	Mix	On't Day Exp	Mt'n Exp				
N. Y. Leave	A M	M A	M P	M P	M P	M P	M P
Franklin St	8 20	7 40	9 00	12 45	3 00	3 00	5 45
W. 42d St.,	8 30	7 55	9 15	1 00	3 15	3 15	6 15
Weehawken	4 00	8 10	9 30	1 20	3 30	3 30	6 30
Cornwall	6 10	9 45	10 57	3 45	5 00	5 08	7 58
Firthcliffe	6 22	9 58	.....	.....	.....	5 20	.....
Orr's Mills	6 25	10 05	.....	.....	.....	5 23	.....
Little Brit'n	6 40	10 15	.....	.....	.....	5 33	.....
Barnside	6 56	10 16	.....	.....	.....	5 45	.....
Camp'll H.	7 07	10 22	11 35	3 20	5 34	5 48	8 19
Stony Ford	7 15	10 37	11 39	.....	.....	5 58	.....
M'town {				.....	.....	.....	.....
Main St. {	7 38	10 43	11 53	.....	.....	6 08	.....
M'town { ar	7 40	10 45	11 58	3 35	5 50	6 07	8 36
M'town { lv	8 45	10 55	12 10	3 55	6 00	6 15	8 45
Winterton	9 10	11 09	.....	.....	.....	6 32	.....
Bloom'g'bgh	9 21	11 15	12 32	4 20	.....	6 37	.....
Wurtsboro	9 26	11 19	12 36	4 24	.....	6 41	.....
Summitville	9 38	11 30	12 45	4 31	.....	6 45	.....
Ellenville ar	10 05	11 50	1 05	4 55	.....	7 05	.....
Fallsburgh	10 32	12 08	1 40	5 03	7 00	.....	.....
Hurleyville	10 53	12 12	1 35	5 12	7 07	.....	.....
Ferndale	11 15	12 32	1 55	5 35	7 8	.....	.....
Liberty	11 30	12 29	1 45	5 46	7 25	.....	9 56
Parksville	11 45	12 43	P M	5 56	7 37	.....	.....
L'v'gst'n M'r	12 00	12 58	.....	6 08	7 49	.....	10 12
Rockland	12 15	1 08	.....	6 20	8 00	1 8	.....
Cadosia	1 20	2 09	.....	P M	.....	A M	10 59
Walton	2 10	2 45	.....	.....	.....	8 05	11 38
Maywood	.....	3 14	.....	.....	.....	8 38	.....
Sidney	.....	3 40	4 1	.....	.....	9 02	12 15
N'rwich { ar	.....	4 36	A M	.....	.....	9 50	12 58
N'rwich { lv	.....	4 30	7 30	.....	.....	9 54	1 08
Castle	.....	5 53	9 10	.....	.....	A M	12 10
Oneida { ar	.....	5 57	9 15	.....	.....	.....	2 12
Oneida { lv	.....	6 05	9 30	.....	.....	.....	2 15
Fulton	.....	7 39	10 58	.....	.....	.....	3 35
Oswego ar	.....	8 00	11 20	.....	.....	.....	3 45
	P M	P M	A M	P M	P M	M	A M

SOUTH BOUND.

STATIONS.	6 * New York Exp	12 *	50 Local	14 Del-hi Ex	2 N. Y. Day Exp	42 Nor. wich Exp	18 Sunday Sp
	A M	P M	A M		P M	P M	P M
Oswego lv	11 20	.....	7 00	.....	5 15	2 35	.....
Oneida { ar	12 52	.....	12 22	.....	6 46	4 10	.....
Oneida { lv	12 56	.....	1 10	.....	6 50	5 20	.....
Castle	.....	.....	1 15	P M	6 53	5 35	.....
Norwich { ar	2 09	.....	6 30	6 42	10 37	7 15	.....
Norwich { lv	2 14	.....	P M	6 45	10 42	P M	.....
Sidney	3 05	.....	.....	7 40	11 40	.....	.....
Maywood	.....	.....	.....	7 58	11 57	.....	.....
Walton	3 50	12 15	A M	8 30	12 37	.....	.....
Cadosia	4 21	1 30	P M	9 1	1 20	4	.....
Rockland	.....	2 38	5 20	.....	2 10	Mt'n	5 03
L'v'gst'n M'r	5 07	3 00	6 35	.....	2 25	Exp	5 30
Parksville	.....	3 16	6 47	.....	2 37	P M	5 20
Liberty	5 36	3 35	7 00	16	2 51	2 20	5 4
Ferndale	.....	3 41	7 04	Uls-	2 56	2 34	5 50
Hurleyville	.....	4 04	7 14	ter	3 06	2 44	6 00
Fallsburgh	.....	4 19	7 21	Co.	3 14	2 52	6 07
Centreville	.....	4 40	7 28	Exp	3 20	3 00	6 14
Mount'n D.	.....	4 50	7 34	A M	3 25	3 06	6 20
Summitville	6 06	5 10	.....	7 21	3 45	3 24	6 40
Wurtsboro	.....	5 20	.....	7 28	3 52	.....	6 47
Bloom'g'bgh	.....	5 28	.....	7 33	3 57	3 37	6 50
Winterton	.....	5 34	.....	7 38	4 02	.....	6 55
M'town { ar	6 33	5 55	8 15	7 53	4 20	8 55	7 12
M'town { lv	6 43	6 20	8 25	8 07	4 30	9 05	7 27
M'town	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Main St.	.....	6 22	.....	8 07	4 32	.....	7 27
Stony Ford	.....	6 39	.....	8 20	4 46	.....	7 41
Camp'll H.	.....	7 15	8 42	8 28	4 52	4 24	7 47
Burnside	.....	7 22	.....	8 31	4 57	.....	7 53
Little Brit'n	.....	7 38	.....	8 41	5 06	.....	8 09
Orr's Mills	.....	8 05	.....	8 48	5 13	.....	8 16
Firthcliffe	.....	8 08	.....	8 50	5 20	.....	8 18
Cornwall	7 28	8 15	9 08	8 57	5 28	4 52	8 24
Weehawken	8 45	10 50	10 30	10 30	7 00	6 20	9 50
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N. Y.,							
Fkln St { ar	9 15	11 30	10 55	10 55	7 25	6 50	10 15
	P M	P M	A M	A M	P M	P M	P M

* Runs daily, all other trains daily except Sunday.

f Signifies that trains will stop on signal for passengers.

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Trains leave Walton for Delhi 8 10 a. m., 2 45 and 8 35 p. m. Sunday only 9 15 a. m., and 2 15 p m. Except Saturday 12 37 p m

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Leave Walton 7 00 a m, stopping at all stations to Livingston Manor, arriving at 12 5 p m. Leave Norwich 6 55 a m all stations to Walton, arriving at 11 15 a m.

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New York Ferries	Daily a m	Daily ex Sun p m	Sun p m
West 23d St	8 10	.....	3 50
Cortlandt and Desbrosses St.	8 30	.....	4 10
Jersey City	8 46	.....	4 25
Hackensack	9 14	.....	4 50
Paterson (Broadway)	9 26	.....	5 02
Paterson	9 29	.....	5 04
Two Bridges	10 55	2 50	6 30
Ogdensburg	11 07	3 05	6 40
Franklin	11 12	3 15	6 46
Hamburg	11 20	3 25	6 54
Deckertown	11 28	3 40	7 03
Quarryville	11 36	3 52	7 10
Unionville	11 44	4 04	7 18
Westtown	11 49	4 15	7 24
Johnson	11 55	4 27	7 29
Slate Hill	12 09	4 37	7 34
Middletown	12 12	4 50	7 45

SOUTH.

	Daily a m	ex Sun a m	Daily p m
Middletown	6 30	7 12	5 04
Slate Hill	6 42	7 27	5 15
Johnson	6 48	7 36	5 21
Westtown	6 58	7 48	5 27
Unionville	6 58	7 55	5 34
Quarryville	7 06	8 07	5 48
Deckertown	7 14	8 20	5 51
Hamburg	7 22	8 44	6 00
Franklin Junction	f7 27	.....	.....
Franklin	7 30	8 55	6 07
Ogdensburg	7 34	9 05	6 12
Two Bridges	7 51	9 27	6 26
Paterson City	9 03	.....	7 46
Paterson (Broadway)	9 05	10 26	7 48
Hackensack	9 16	10 47	7 51
Jersey City	9 38	11 12	8 27
New York Ferries—			
Cortlandt and Desbrosses St.	9 58	11 28	8 36
West 23d street	10 15	11 45	9 20

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Eastern Time.	17	21	1	9	11	33	5	37	15	25	29	7	1	8	S. Spec 601	S. Spec 625	S. Spec 617
Leave	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	M. P. M.	M. P. M.	M. P. M.	M. P. M.	M. P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Arrive NEW YORK	* 4:00	† 7:45	* 9:00	† 9:15	† 10:35	1:00	† 3:00	† 5:45	† 4:30	† 5:30	6:08	7:22	7:27	7:39	7:42	7:49	8:05
Paterson	4:15	8:30	.....	9:57	11:13	1:43	.....	.....	5:06	6:08	7:22	8:40	8:45	8:55	9:07	9:21	9:39
Turners	.....	8:52	.....	10:19	12:19	2:30	.....	.....	5:56	7:22	8:40	9:00	9:07	9:17	9:29	9:44	10:02
Monroe	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Greycourt	6:09	10:08	.....	10:57	12:25	3:17	4:38	.....	6:15	7:39	8:58	10:15	10:22	10:32	10:44	10:59	11:17
Chester	.....	10:11	.....	11:00	12:37	3:30	.....	.....	6:18	7:42	9:01	10:18	10:25	10:35	10:47	11:02	11:20
Goshen	6:22	10:19	.....	11:12	12:48	3:43	.....	.....	6:28	7:49	9:07	10:28	10:35	10:45	10:57	11:12	11:30
Middletown	6:47	10:36	10:50	11:29	1:04	3:59	5:41	6:06	6:46	8:05	9:21	10:44	10:51	11:01	11:13	11:28	11:46
Howells	7:02	10:44	.....	11:37	1:12	4:14	5:54	.....	6:56	.....	9:30	10:52	10:59	11:09	11:21	11:36	11:54
Otisville	7:21	10:54	.....	11:47	1:21	4:24	6:04	.....	7:06	.....	9:38	11:02	11:09	11:19	11:31	11:46	12:04
Port Jervis	* 7:55	11:15	.....	12:05	† 1:42	† 4:35	† 6:25	7:45	† 7:30	.....	* 10:00	* 11:10	* 11:17	* 11:27	* 11:39	* 11:54	* 12:10
Lv. Jersey City	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Arr. CHICAGO	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Eastern Time.	26	15	27	5	33	28	98	6	30	2	8	22	14	606	628	620	Sun 18
Leave	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
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Paterson	6:08	5:56	5:16	4:16	1:43	1:15	10:58	9:44	8:14	6:38	4:44	5:34	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Turners	7:22	6:56	6:30	5:30	3:00	2:28	12:19	11:02	9:32	7:58	6:04	6:54	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Monroe	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
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*Daily. †Sundays only ‡Except Saturday. b. Stops for passengers to Hamilton and beyond.

Middletown & Crawford Branch—Leave Main St., Middletown for Bush at 11:40 a. m., daily; [illegible] daily.

Montgomery Branch—Leave [illegible] for Montgomery at 7:27 a. m. except Sunday; 11:20 a. m., daily except Sunday; [illegible] day only.

Pine Island Branch—Leave [illegible] Pine Island at 11:20 a. m. and 6 p. m. daily except Sunday.

Newburgh via Turners—Leave [illegible] for Newburgh at 7:35 a. m., daily except Sunday; 10:50 a. m., daily except Sunday; 9:00 p. m. daily; [illegible] day only. Train 30 and 3 [illegible] Newburgh via Arden, instead of Turners.

Newburgh via Greycourt—Leave [illegible] court at 7:45 a. m., daily except Sunday; 11:10 a. m., daily except Sunday; 1:23 p. m. daily, except Sunday; [illegible] p. m., daily except Sunday; [illegible] Sundays only.

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SICK SOLDIERS FROM MONTAUK.

Twenty-three of Them at Thrall Hospital—Started from Camp at 2 O'clock, Yesterday, and Reached Here, This Afternoon—Preparations for Their Reception—All Regulars Who Saw Service at Santiago—None of Them Very Sick.

The twenty-four sick soldiers from Camp Wikoff, at Montauk Point, who were expected to reach Thrall Hospital, Monday night, did not get here. There was a kitch somewhere—but that was generally expected. To make proper arrangements for the transportation of two dozen sick men across Long Island and all the way from New York to this city was too much to be expected from the War Department, which in the morning notified the hospital managers that their offer to care for sick soldiers had been declined, and a few hours later caused a telegram to be sent directing the hospital managers to have ambulances at the trains to meet the sick men.

The receipt of the telegram set the Hospital managers hustling to make the necessary preparations, for the time was short and there was much to be done. Mrs. E. W. VanDuzer, President of the Board of Managers, took charge of affairs at the hospital. It happened that since the offer to receive sick soldiers was made, the number of patients in the hospital had increased to eleven. To accommodate the soldiers, the patients from the female ward were removed to private rooms and a few extra cots were put up.

The hospital's supply of bedding was not equal to the emergency, and an appeal was made for donations, which met with a most generous and ready response.

Fred. O. Rockafellow had charge of the work of arranging for the transfer of the sick men from the station to the hospital. He had seen the horrors of Camp Wikoff, and he took hold with a will. He arranged to have the ambulance on hand and Chief Higham and Driver Hardenburg fitted a mattress to the patrol wagon. The liverymen, when asked by Mr. Rockafellow, gladly promised to provide carriages free of charge.

Dr. Talcott promised to send ten of the State Hospital's best trained nurses to assist in the transfer of the sick men.

Erie Agent Wright kept the wire hot with messages of inquiry as to what train the sick soldiers would come on. He also tried to find out how many would need cots, and not getting any information on this point had seven cots provided by George Lea, of the Madison House, placed in the ladies' room at the station in readiness for use.

Everything was in readiness for the sick men when word came that they had not reached the Erie station in Jersey City in time for even the last of the evening trains.

There was a great crowd at the Erie station on the arrival of the 9:34 train, and many who had not heard of the hitch in the arrangements for the coming of the sick men gathered at the station when No. 3 came in at 11:39.

The Hospital managers thought that the men might be sent out on the milk train this morning, but received a telegram later to the effect that they would come on No. 11, which reaches here at 1:04 p. m.

THE SOLDIERS HERE AT LAST.

When the train pulled into the station a few minutes late a great crowd was in waiting. Capt. Veber and the whole police force was on duty, and Supervisor Cook, with eight trained nurses from the State Hospital, was on hand to give such assistance as the sick men might require. The Hospital ambulance and a long row of carriages were in the rear of the station.

The men were in charge of Miss Eleanor T. Brewster, and she stood on the platform of the third car on the train, and waved her hand to friends in the crowd.

As the soldiers left the train many willing hands and arms were offered to help them, but only three of the men were so sick that they needed help.

Just as they were entering the carriages each man was presented with a bouquet provided by George Lea's thoughtfulness. He also offered to provide the men with dinner.

The men looked as if they had a hard time but were pulling themselves together rapidly. It is to be hoped that they will soon regain health and strength here.

The men left Camp Wickoff at 2 o'clock, Monday afternoon, and reached New York a few minutes too late for Erie train 3. They spent the night at the Ad lphi Hotel, Twenty-third street and Tenth avenue.

William Phillips, of Company B. 6th infantry, was lost in New York, having strolled out of the hotel, and not having returned when the party left.

All the men are regulars, and all were at Santiago and saw service at El Caney or the bloody fight at San Juan Hill. None of them are suffering from wounds and most of them are convalescing from fevers contracted in Cuba's deadly climate.

The men are as follows and unless otherwise designated are privates:

2D INFANTRY.

Oliver H. Homan, Co. H; Edward F. Cocoran, Co. B; Phillip Greenwald, Co. F; Alonzo Castle, Co. A; Chas. H. Moritz, Co. G. Corp. T. E. C. Vesper, Co. E; Geo. Wesley, Co. A; H. R. Miller, Co. B; Porter Hopkins, Co. B; Sergt.

6TH INFANTRY.

Michael McCormick, Co. A; H. M. Hollenbury, Co E; Jacob Auckerman, Co F; J. R. Stratton, Co. C; Louis E. Smith, Co. C; Harvey E. Caldwell, Co. B; Wm. Phillips, Co. B; Geo. Penning, Co. C; Wm. E. Bennett, Co. G.

10TH INFANTRY.

John Leishman, Co. G, musician; Chas. C. Caplick, Co. C.

16TH INFANTRY.

John Hays, Co. F; Fred W. Jenny, Co. G.

21ST INFANTRY.

Richard Smith, Co. E.

9TH INFANTRY.

John H. Maguire.

On their arrival at the hospital, the men were given a bowl of broth and afterwards a dinner suitable to convalescents. They were then bathed by the State hospital nurses and given clean underclothing, and those of them who were very weak were put to bed.

DOINGS OF THE FIREMEN.

Business Transacted at Monday Night's Meetings of the Department Companies—Eaxles' Tribute to the Memory of B. V. Wolf.

The fire companies met in regular session, Monday night.

M'QUOID ENGINE COMPANY.

McQuoids decided to hold a festival at the Assembly Rooms on the night of the annual parade. The committee in charge of the event is: Thomas Donovan, Ed. Nutley, Frank Meyers, Ed. Lawder and Joseph Sweeney.

The company was presented with a large photograph of Chief Higham, taken in his Chief's uniform. The company returned a vote of thanks to the Chief for the gift.

EAGLE HOSE COMPANY.

Eagle Hose Company adopted the following resolutions:

Whereas, God in His infinite wisdom, has removed from our midst our venerable member who had served as vice-president and trustee, be it

Resolved, That in the death of B. V. Wolf, Eagle Hose Company, No. 2, loses one in whom its members found a kind friend, a wise adviser, and a capable administrator in the affairs of this company; one whose strong character and genial disposition in his daily life shone brilliantly as an example to be emulated by his fellow men, and be it further

Resolved, That we tender to his family our deep appreciation of their loss, and our own, in the passing away of him whose memory will remain honorable among men, and be it

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of the deceased.

MONHAGEN HOSE CO.

At the meeting of Monhagens, Howard Keeler, Chas. N. Conklin and Martin Bennett were elected to active membership. The matter of the coming the fair was discussed and routine business was transacted.

EXCELSIOR H. AND L. CO.

H. R. Royce was elected Secretary in place of Phillip Whitlock who has resigned and routine business was transacted.

WALLKILL ENGINE CO.

Robert Lindsey was elected an active member and two members were dropped from the rolls for the non-payment of dues. Joshua Hirst was transferred from the active to the honorary roll. It was voted that the company hold a dance at the truck house on the evening of the fall parade, Oct. 6.

ONTARIO HOSE CO.

Ontarios decided to keep their house open for inspection the night before the parade and to give a dance there the night of the parade. They agreed to abide by the decision of other companies in the matter of bands for the parade.

PHOENIX ENGINE CO.

Phoenix elected Harvey Wilson and Frank Miller to active membership, and accepted Charles Ruffel's resignation.

Catarrh for Twenty Years and Cured in a Few Days.

Nothing too simple, nothing too hard for Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder to give relief in an instant. Hon. George James, of Scranton, Pa., says: "I have been a martyr to Catarrh for 20 years, constant hawking, dropping in the throat and pain in the head, very offensive breath. I tried Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder. The first application gave instant relief. After using a few bottles all these symptoms of Catarrh left me."

A U. S. Trooper Here.

Sergeant Thomas Murphy, Jr., of Troop F., Second Calvary, now located at Montauk, is here on a five days' visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Murphy, Sr., of No. 342 North street. He has seen nine years' service for Uncle Sam.

Tea and Coffee for the Soldiers.

Guss Pfaff, of the Wallkill House, made a generous supply of tea and coffee and kept it hot for the sick soldiers who were expected last night.

An Explanation.

The reason for the great popularity of Hood's Sarsaparilla lies in the fact that this medicine positively cures. It is America's Greatest Medicine, and the American people have an abiding confidence in its merits. They buy and take it for simple as well as serious ailments, confident that it will do them good.

HOOD'S PILLS cure all liver ills. Mailed for 25c. by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Don't delay a minute. Cholera infantum, dysentery, diarrhœa come suddenly. Only safe plan is to have Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawbery always on hand.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

GETTING HOMESICK.

Members of Co. I Have Had Enough of Soldiering and Want to Come Home.

Nearly every private letter received, Saturday, from members of Co. I at Honolulu, contained the frank admission that the writer had had enough of soldiering and longed to return home to family and loved ones.

Not a few of the boys confessed that they were homesick, and it is not at all strange that they are. The novelty of the ocean voyage and of life in the Eden of the Pacific having worn off, they have nothing to look forward to but the dull monotony of the routine of camp life, and their hearts grow sick at the prospect and turn to the loved ones at home; and then comes that intense longing for home that is called homesickness and which is one of the feelings that cannot be fought down by any effort of the will, and which grows stronger until some excitement or interest turns the thoughts in a new direction or until it wears itself out in a feeling of utter hopelessness that is akin to, if it is not, real despair.

One thing that has made the soldiers find life in Honolulu so monotonous is that since they have been there they have been kept very close in camp and have enjoyed few opportunities of seeing anything of the island or of the life of its inhabitants.

A MODEL ROAD.

A. E. Godeffroy Will Invite the Street Committee to Inspect a Calcareous Shale Road.

A. E. Godeffroy has made at Neversink Lodge, his home near Guymard, 800 feet of model road from Shawangunk calcareous shale. The road is as smooth and hard as a floor, at all times and in all weathers. Mr. Godeffroy, who is anxious to have the authorities of this city learn the merits of the shale for street making purposes, and who hopes to find a market for the large deposits on his property in this and other cities, writes the ARGUS that he purposes to visit this city before long, and invite the Common Council's street committee to visit Neversink Lodge, and inspect the model road.

A Strange Mishap.

Henry Bissell, of Port Jervis, boarded the Erie milk train at Shohola, Sunday, and the car being very crowded, some one lurched against him, knocking him over a seat, and dislocating his shoulder.

Building a Creamery at Winterton.

Contractor W. R. Rodgers, of this city, has just begun the erection of a new creamery for the O. and W. R. R. at Winterton.

Turf and Horse Notes.

—Thomas Bradley, of Goshen, has sold to E. H. Harriman the two-year-old trotting filly, Helen Grace, 2:25¼, winner of the Sagamore Purse at the Glens Falls Grand Circuit meeting. The price paid was $1,500. Bradley bought the filly last year for something like $65. She was bred by the late A. M. Hawes, of New York city, and is by Blue Dawn, son of Jay Bird, out of Annie Stevens, 2:18¼, by Kentucky Prince. I. B. Gurney developed her and drove her to her record at Glens Falls.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured.

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was perscribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular perscription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

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Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Scratch, scratch, scratch; unable to attend to business during the day or sleep during the night. Itching piles, horrible plague. Doan's Ointment cures. Never fails. At any drug store, 50 cents.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

JAS. P. TIGHE, Commission Broker, Stern Building, 16 North street, Middletown, N. Y. Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13, '98.

	Yesterday Close	To-day Close
Sugar	136½	133¾
Tobacco	145½	145⅝
Chicago Gas	103¾	103⅞
Nat. Lead	34½	34
General Electric	44	42½
U. S. L., pref.	69⅝	69⅜
Tenn. Coal and Iron	28¼	27½
A. T. & S. F.	13¼	12⅝
C. B. & Q.	114⅛	113¾
C. M. & St. P.	109½	108½
E. I.	102¾	101¾
D. L. & W.	—	—
C. of N. J.	89¾	89¼
Erie	—	—
D. and H.	167⅝	166⅝
O. & W.	15½	15⅜
Susquehanna & Western	—	—
Susquehanna & West., pref.	—	—
P. & R.	—	18¼
N. W.	131¼	130¼
L. S.	—	—
N. Y. C.	117	116⅝
M. P.	32¾	32¾
Texas	13⅝	13⅝
U. P.	29⅝	29⅞
W. Union	92⅞	92¾
L. & N.	56⅝	56⅜
Manhattan	96¼	95
P. M.	32⅝	32½
Wabash, pref.	20¼	20½
No. Pacific, pref.	76¾	76½
Metropolitan Traction	157½	152
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	59¾	58½
Southern, pref.	33⅜	33⅝
Dec. Wheat	61⅝	62⅛
Dec. Corn	30	29¾
Dec. Oats	19⅛	20
Oct. Pork	$8 45	$8 55
Oct. Lard	4 87	4 90

M'QUOIDS' TRIP TO PITTSTON.

Final Arrangements Announced at Last Night's Meeting—Will Go Seventy Strong.

The final arrangements of McQuoids' trip to Pittston, Pa., was announced at last night's meeting. The company will leave Wednesday, Sept. 28, at 10:55 a. m., via O. and W., and will reach Pittston at 4:50 p. m. After participating in the parade and its festivities the company will leave Pittston, Friday, at 10 a. m., and will reach here at 4:20 p. m. The fare for the round trip will be $2.25.

The company will take with it the 24th Separaee Company Band and a number of invited guests. It is expected that the company will have seventy men in line.

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is due not only to the originality and simplicity of the combination, but also to the care and skill with which it is manufactured by scientific processes known to the CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP Co. only, and we wish to impress upon all the importance of purchasing the true and original remedy. As the genuine Syrup of Figs is manufactured by the CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO. only, a knowledge of that fact will assist one in avoiding the worthless imitations manufactured by other parties. The high standing of the CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO. with the medical profession, and the satisfaction which the genuine Syrup of Figs has given to millions of families, makes the name of the Company a guaranty of the excellence of its remedy. It is far in advance of all other laxatives, as it acts on the kidneys, liver and bowels without irritating or weakening them, and it does not gripe nor nauseate. In order to get its beneficial effects, please remember the name of the Company—

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WANTED—Position as bookkeeper, permanent or confidential, by an experienced accountant. References.
1t X, ARGUS office.

150 ACRE FARM for sale or would exchange for small farm or village property.
d13,17&21t Box 236, Middletown.

WANTED—Case of bad health that R-I-P-A-N-S will not benefit. Send 5 cents to Ripans Chemical Co., New York, for 10 samples and 1,000 testimonials. 99d1y7J1y14'98

PENCIL Boxes, with full equipment, 5c at DAYTON'S.

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FRED O. ROCKAFELLOW, Funeral Director and Embalmer, 99 North street. Telephone No. 3. Lady assistant. New York office 154 East 23d street, with H. E. Taylor & Co.

KNAPP & MERRITT, Undertakers and Embalmers, 42 West Main street corner James, Middletown, N. Y. 50 Great Jones St., New York city. Lady assistant. Telephone Call No. 10.

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WANTED—A young man to do office and outside work. Knowledge of bookkeeping required. Address in own handwriting, giving references and stating wages required.
47d3t A. B., ARGUS office.

BLAUDS IRON PILLS—Five grain, 25 cents hundred. Guaranteed full weight and count and no better to be had. Get them at CHAMBERS' Post Office Pharmacy, 57 North street, second door from post office.

ALL 10c Tablets 5c at DAYTON'S.

A COTTAGE to rent within ten minutes' walk of Franklin Square. A garden, fruit trees, quiet, restful place.
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TRY DAYTON'S for school supplies.

DEAD SHOT Fly Paper—Eight sheets for 5c. Each sheet kills a quart of flies. Try it at CHAMBERS' Post Office Pharmacy, 57 North street, second door from post office.

FOR RENT—Four rooms, first floor, Wawayanda avenue $5

WANTED—$2,500 bond and mortgage. Central security.
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WOODBURY'S FACIAL SOAP—25c cake, formerly 50c. A great skin and complexion soap. Try it.
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JOS. VUOLO, 91 Fulton street—Full line of fine shoes. Ladies' shoes, Goodyear welt, $1.98. Men's good working shoes $1. Men's fine shoes $1.50 to $3. Repairing neatly done at very reasonable prices. Shoes made to order, perfect fit. Best leather 19 and 22c per pound. Shoemakers' materials of all kinds. Present to every customer.
d83m Oct25 NO. 91 FULTON STREET.

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10:30 to 12:30 | 8 to 9 a. m.
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Special Advance Sale Of Fall Dry Goods.

Goods well bought are half sold is an old saying. We have bought a great many lots of goods during the dull season, from manufacturers and jobbers, for this great opening sale, that couldn't be bought to-day for what we can sell them for. We want your trade this fall if low prices and large assortment of goods will get it. Do not miss this chance of getting your share of these great offerings. Owing to a lack of space we can only mention a few of the many low prices our counters and shelves are loaded with.

Dress Goods.

We don't claim to have the largest stock in the world, but we do claim to have all the newest styles and colorings in the market. Among this great stock we can sell a great many goods at less prices than the same goods can be bought for to-day.

Bonnie Bright Plaids, not too bright, but warm color suggestions, such as any young miss would be pleased with, 25 styles to select from at 12½, 25 and 50c a yard.

Silk and Wool Plaids, all beautiful colorings. The regular price would be $1 a yard; this lot 65c a yard.

Fancy Wool Mixtures, in all the newest colorings—some plain, others fancy; for this great sale 39, 50, 75c a yard.

50 inch all wool Surah Serge, in black and navy blue; as long as this lot lasts 49c a yard.

46 inch all wool black and navy blue 75c Storm Serge, for this sale, 50c a yard.

46 inch all wool Serge, comes in black and all colors. Many would get 69c for no better; our price 50c a yard.

40 inch all wool Black and Navy Blue Serge, 9 pieces in this lot. As long as they last 35c a yard.

Dress Linings.

Why we advertise Linings. In most stores this stock gets but scant attention. Here it's just as important in the quality and price way as silks or dress goods.

Best Kid Cambric, all colors, no better goods made, 3 cents a yard.

36 inch fast black Percaline. Has been sold for 15c.; here at 10c a yard.

36 inch black fancy Waist Lining, real value 18c a yard; here at 12½c.

36 inch fancy Percaline Silk, all the newest fall colorings. We carry these popular grades 12½, 15, 20c a yard.

The best French Hair Cloth, in all widths, 25c a yard up

36 inch Italian Cloth, in stripes and checks, fine for jacket or skirt lining, 40c a yard.

Separate Skirts.

We made a purchase in July, for this great opening sale, of 150 Skirts of one of the best skirt makers in New York. All have extra inter lining, are perfect fitting, and from $2 to $4 less than you can get the same goods made for. If in need of a skirt, do not miss this chance.

Plain black Brilliantine Skirts, lined and interlined, perfect fitting, $2.98.

Black Serge and Black Figured Skirts. You will wonder how one could get the material for the price, $2.98.

Black Figured Silk Skirts, lined and interlined. One of the best bargains ever shown by any firm, $3.98.

Black all wool Crepon Skirts. The cloth would cost you more than we ask for the whole garment. This lot is all we will have at the price, $4.98.

The Dewey Flounce Skirt, one of the latest fads, very swell, $3.98, $4.68.

Comforts.

96 Comforts, filled with white batten and covered with fine chintz or sateen, at 98c., $1.29, $1.39. $1.48.

24 fine Silkaline Comforts, all dainty patterns, batten as fine as down, $1.98.

Silks.

Waist Silks mostly. Just the thing you're looking for. They're swell styles at low prices. Do not buy silks advertised at calico prices. They're no good. The best is none too good for our customers.

Plain Taffeta Silks, all colors, fine for a low priced waist or linings, 49c a yard.

Fancy Waist Silks, in all the leading shades. The best quality we can get at the price, 65c a yard.

Rustleing Taffetas, in rich irridescent effects, beautiful goods, 75 and 98c a yard.

24 inch plain black Taffeta Silk, so popular for shirt waists; as long as this lot lasts 69c a yard.

Dressing Sacques.

We bought in June 300 of these dainty useful garments. Are made better than the ones that are rushed through the factory later in the season; also much cheaper. Made of soft eider down, in stripes and plain colors, and priced to you less than the closest bargain hunter would expect; as long as they last 79, 98c., $1.48.

Ladies' Wrappers.

We open the season by offering 228 Percale Wrappers, all dark colors, cut extra wide, have extra vest fronts, made with bound seams; as long as they last 79c.

Odd lots left from our great August clearing sale, that are great bargains, at 69, 98c.

Sheets and Pillow Cases.

We only keep the best makes, and can sell them to you for less than the goods by the yard would cost you.

The Dewey Pillow Case—Torn, ironed and washed, the best value ever shown by any firm, 36x45, 12½c each or $1.25 a dozen.

The same goods, hemstitched, 36x45, 14c each, or $1.50 a dozen.

Bleached Sheets—Torn, ironed and washed, 40, 44 and 48c each.

Domestics.

Cotton Goods were never so low as now. Do not, because we have quoted such low prices, think the goods are not good. It is a case of the nimble sixpence how we can quote such low prices. You are welcome to as many of these goods as you want as long as they are advertised, no longer.

1,110 yards fine Unbleached Muslin. Sold by all for 5c.; for this sale 3¾c a yard.

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2,640 yards best Dress Prints made. All good styles, not the stuff most merchants get to advertise with; as long as it is advertised 4c a yard.

Cotton Batten—Three special values. The best goods ever shown at 10 and 15c per roll.

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Double faced Satin Ribbon, with a corded edge, is the latest fad. We have all the newest shades from No. 7 to No. 80, at our popular low prices.

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